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Special Line of Ladies' Stainless Hosiery, 5 pairs for $1.00.
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Best English Prints, 8 yards for $1.00.
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FOR PRESERVING
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LOST OR FOUND.

STRAYED—On the 7th inst, bay horse with heavy rope around neck; anchor branded on the left shoulder, with letters on left hind leg. Any information will be thankfully received by Dr. Hartman, 73 Government street. jy6

LOST—A pocket book containing passes. The finder will confer a favor by leaving the same at the Colonist office. M. K. Jones. jy28

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320 acres of land in Alberni District; all good lands; about 60 acres under cultivation; price $10 per acre Apply Flint & Williams, cor. Fort and Broad streets. jy27-1m

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WANTED TO RENT—A commodious house with a garden, in the vicinity of Angela College. Apply to F. B. Kitto, Victoria College, Belcher street. aug1-2t

WANTED—Two good tailoresses: wages $12 and $15 per week. Call between 12 and 1 at 116 Yates street. aug1-2t

WANTED—A general servant. Apply at 144 Menzie street. aug1-3t

WANTED—Ladies and gentlemen who can appreciate a good meal to go to "The Vienna," Yates street, near Douglas; lunch from 12 to 2, at 35c.; with pint of ale or lager, 50c Dinner from 5:30 to 8, at 50c; with wine, 75c. Meals a la carte at all hours up to 8 p.m.; kitchen in charge of a Vienna artist. C. Elsser (formerly with Delmonico, New York), Manager. aug1 1t

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FOR SALE—Nearly new tent; 10x14; price $7. Address S.S., Colonist office aug1-2t

FOR SALE—About 10 dozen chickens; all sizes. Apply cor. Simcoe and Montreal streets. aug1-2t

TO FARMERS—For sale, cheap a good second-hand binder; also a good reaper; price $20. Apply Ontario Wagon Shop. Wm. Powell. aug1-2t

BOYS, cut this out, pin or paste it to a sheet of paper, bearing your name and address, bring it to our store, and to the first fifty boys we will give a flying machine. Cameron, the Cash Clothier, 55 Johnson street. aug1-1t

CORNS, bunions, warts, moles, ingrowing nails, etc., skillfully treated by Hanna, the world famed chiropodist and oologist Parlors 37 in Balmoral Hotel, all this week. aug1-1t

LOST—A small purse containing $30 notes and $5 in gold. A reward on return to this office. aug1-1t

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners at its next sitting, for a transfer of my license to sell wines and liquors by retail at the corner of Government and John streets, Victoria, B.C., to George E. Smith, of this city.
H. E. WARD.
Dated this 1st day of August, 1893. aug1-30t

NOTICE

Is hereby given that at the next sitting of the Board of License Commissioners for the City of Victoria, I shall apply for a transfer of the saloon license for the premises situated on 48 Johnson street, known as the King's Head Saloon, in the said City of Victoria, to White & Sloan, of the said city.
aug1-30t PAUL MAURMANN.

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WILL Matthew Gros, who left San Francisco for Victoria, B.C., 35 years ago, communicate with his sister, Maria Gros Fouts, 1,041 Washington street, San Francisco. jy30-Su-2m

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BIG BEND DISTRICT.

Prospectors and Investors Turning Their Attention to This Portion of the Province.

REVELSTOKE, B. C., July 31.—During the past month a number of prospectors have turned their attention to the placer and quartz mines of the Big Bend district. Among those who have visited that camp are Messrs. Williams and McLeary, of Everett, Wash. They left here July 6th, and after looking over the country since, have purchased the Consolation mine from Messrs. George Leforme and others. This mine is situated on French Creek, which enters Gold River about five miles east of the famous gold producing McCullough Creek. The price paid is not yet obtainable, but rumor has it well up into the thousands. A score or more prospectors and investors leave here this week for the Big Bend, and arrangemnts are being made for a steamer on the Columbia from Revelstoke to Downie Creek, which will greatly expedite and reduce the cost of transportation and time in reaching this well-known gold mining country.

THE NEW CUNARDER.

Confidence That the "Lucania" Will Be a Record Breaker.

LONDON, July 31.—The new Cunard steamer Lucania, under easy steam, and escorted by four tugs, left Glasgow, this afternoon, for Greenock, where she will begin her speed trial forthwith. The builders of the steamer are confident that her specially strengthened hull will successfully resist the vibration from the engine, and allow her to run continuously at full speed.

Hundreds of people write "It is impossible to describe the good Hood's Sarsaprilla has done me." It will be of equal help to you.

"SIDE YOUR OWN!"

Premier Gladstone Suggests That Members Sit According to Their Party.

Thursday's "Riot" Explained and Apologized For—Members of the House Satisfied.

LONDON, July 31.—In the House of Commons to-day, Prime Minister Gladstone, replying to a question asked by Mr. John Lloyd Wharton, Conservative member for Ripon Division, Yorkshire, which question was prompted by the hand to hand conflict that occurred in the House last Thursday night, said that doubtless it would be for the general convenience of the House and the interests of good order, if an arrangement should be arrived at, by means of which the supporters of the Government and the members of the Opposition might sit on opposite sides of the House. Mr. Gladstone added that he had no power in the matter.

Mr. Wm. Hunter, Liberal, member for North Aberdeen, then asked if Mr. Gladstone had taken into consideration the injury done the honor and dignity of the House of Commons, and if the assaults committed by members on Thursday evening were to be allowed to pass without punishment being inflicted upon the offenders? He also inquired what action would be taken if he moved the appointment of a committee to inquire into and report on the matter.

Mr. Gladstone replied that he would answer the questions to-morrow.

Mr. Henry Labouchere, the well-known Radical member, referred to a statement made in the Pall Mall Gazette by a prominent Conservative, Mr. Fisher, member for Fulham, which referred to his assault on Mr. John Wm. Logan, Liberal member for South Leicestershire. He suggested that Mr. Logan be permitted to reply to Mr. Fisher's statement.

Speaker Peel said he thought it would conduce to a peaceful solution of the matter if both the gentlemen addressed the House.

Mr. Fisher, amid cries of "Logan," "Logan," arose and expressed deep regret for the part he had taken in the affray. He thought, he said, that Mr. Logan intended to assault him or Mr. Curzon, and it was for this reason that he mixed up in the the trouble. He was greatly distressed at having created disorder in the House.

Mr. Logan emphatically denied that he had intended to assault anyone, and sincerely regretted he had been concerned in the affair.

Mr. Gladstone said that the explanations were satisfactory to him and he hoped the matter would be allowed to drop.

Right Hon. J. Balfour, leader of the Opposition, and Mr. Justin McCarthy, leader of the Anti Parnellite section of the Irish parliamentary party, also expressed themselves as satisfied. Mr. McCarthy, however, protested against the idea that the row was due to the Irish members.

CABLE NEWS.

Exclusion of Canadian Cattle.

LONDON, July 31.—Mr. Gardner stated in the House of Commons to-day that the Canadian Government had not yet formally invited the Board of Agriculture to send experts to Canada at the expense of the Dominion to report upon the alleged existence of pleuro pneumonia. Mr. Gardner suggested that the Canadian authorities themselves could obtain this information, which, he added, would bear materially on the question of the maintenance of the restrictions. Later in the debate on agricultural distress Mr. Gardner replied to Tory criticism of the Ministry for not closing British ports against all foreign cattle, and argued that no need existed for such action, as the foot and mouth disease was entirely extinct, and there were only seventeen cases of pleuro-pneumonia so far this year. Taken altogether these statements show Mr. Gardner's desire to impress the House that the Ministry will not be a party to a permanent exclusion of foreign cattle, when the Board's advisers consider there is not a risk of importing disease.

Cholera in Naples.

LONDON, July 31.—Despite the denial made as to the presence of cholera in Naples, and information that appeared to sustain the denial, the Central News publishes the following figures as to the number of cases of the disease and deaths in that city: From July 20 to July 28 there were 292 cholera cases registered in the city, and 157 deaths. The daily average was 37 cases and 17 deaths. On July 22, 45 fresh cases and 24 deaths were reported. The number of cases has declined since then.

CHINESE EXCLUSION.

Secretary Carlisle Declares It to Be His Intention to Enforce the Law in Good Faith.

WASHINGTON, D.C., July 31.—Secretary Carlisle has taken a hand in the Chinese situation in New York, which has been the occasion of so much friction recently between the Treasury agents and Collector Hendricks, and brings the matter to a close. In a letter, which on Saturday he sent to Collector Hendricks, he says: "Your assumption that the responsibility for the execution of the laws relating to the exclusion of the Chinese rests alone upon the Collector, is unwarranted. Upon that officer is devolved the duty of examining and deciding upon the testimony presented by Chinese persons claiming the right to enter the United States, but, in all cases of doubt, it is his duty, as it is the usual practice of Collectors of Customs, to submit the case to the Secretary of the Treasury for his direction, with whom lies the ultimate responsibility for the enforcement of the laws, and whose lawful instructions in the premises should be obeyed by Collectors without question.

"The Department cannot concur in your view that the unauthorized practice, discontinued by its order of the 13th inst., of authenticating the certificates of the Chinese consul at New York by the signature and seal of the Collector, should be resumed. Evidence is before the Department, in one case, where a Chinese person represented himself to be a member of a firm of Chinese merchants in New York, and was so certified by the Chinese consul at New York, which was duly authenticated by the seal of the Custom house and the signature of one of your deputies, when, in point of fact, the Chinese person who presented himself at the Custom house was another and entirely different person from the one named in the certificate. This man applied for admission at one of the frontier custom houses upon the certificate mentioned, which, according to your theory, would be conclusive evidence of his right to enter, inasmuch as the photograph was that of the person who presented himself, but it was not that of the person named in the certificate, who was a real personage, formerly residing in New York and who was still in China.

"That many cases of this kind have occurred is beyond question, and the department sees no good reason for the continuance of a practice by your office which, in instances like that mentioned, only serves as an aid to those engaged in violating the law. It is an ascertained fact that many hundreds of Chinese laborers have come into the country within the past year under the guise of merchants, students, actors, or other persons of the exempt class, aided in most cases by customs officers, who were either corrupt or indifferent to their duty in the premises. It is my duty, as it is my purpose, to employ all the means under my control to enforce the law in good faith, and to that end I shall expect the cordial cooperation of all officers of the customs.

"Respectfully yours,
"J. G. CARLISLE,
"Secretary."

FRANCE AND SIAM.

Security Demanded That the Terms of the Ultimatum Will Be Carried Out.

Great Britain's Attitude—Considerable Apprehension Manifested — Humann's Further Demands.

LONDON, July 31.—The Paris correspondent of the Central News says that it has been learned on good authority that France demands as security from Siam that the terms of the ultimatum will be carried out, the temporary custody of Chataboon, a town on the coast of Siam, also that Siam shall establish no military stations in certain named places near the frontier of Cambodia or within a certain distance of the Mekong river.

Replying in the House of Commons today to a question asked by Hon. George Curzon, Conservative member for Southport, Sir Edward Grey, Parliamentary Secretary of the Foreign Office, said that he was unable to give exact information regarding the blockade of the Siamese coast and of the occupation of several islands by the French. It was understood, however, that the occupation of the islands was only temporary, being in some way connected with the blockading of portions of it. It did not appear that any British vessels had been seized by the French. The information at hand showed that two or three British vessels had been stopped under a misapprehension.

A dispatch to the Central News from Bangkok, dated Monday, 6 p.m., says: The uneasiness among the people here, far from lessening, is increasing. Several more French gunboats have arrived at Hoch Si Chang, making a total of thirteen now there. Negotiations are still going on, but the progress is not rapid; the intentions of the French are awaited with fear and apprehension. Rear-Admiral Humann, commanding the French squadron, has issued a second blockade notice to take effect three days from Satbrday. He will order the British warships Pallas and Swift, now lying off Bangkok, to go outside the blockade limits. M. Pavie, the French Minister resident, has gone to Saigon, and Rear-Admiral Humann is under directions from Paris. Unless the French Government interferes quickly an attack upon Bangkok seems certain. The trading community is surprised that Admiral Humann is still allowed a free hand.

The Standard to-day received the following dispatch from its Paris correspondent: "Owing to the representation made to M. de Ville, the Foreign Minister, by Lord Dufferin, the British Ambassador to France, the question of a neutral zone between the French possessions in the Siamese peninsula and British Burmah and the Burmashan states, has been settled satisfactorily. It has been agreed that the French blockade of the Siamese coast shall be raised immediately."

No confirmation of the foregoing has been received up to a late hour to-night.

PARIS, July 31.—The ambiguous tone of yesterday's Cabinet Council in accepting Siam's surrender, has excited much comment. It is generally understood that this tone was adopted for the purpose of soothing international susceptibilities. It is stated to-night, on high authority, that France intends to take decisive steps to insure Siam's carrying out the terms of the ultimatum. The blockade of the Siamese coast will be continued, it is said, until the demands of France are satisfied. The French force now present in Siamese waters is supposed to be sufficient to make the blockade effective.

A prominent Paris merchant, who owns warehouses in Bangkok, in an interview today expressed the opinion that decisive action is necessary to restore the prestige which France enjoyed in Siam after the adoption of the commercial treaty of 1860 French trade has recently declined heavily, he said, in consequence of English and German enterprises and intrigues to destroy French influence. He believed that the strong tone of the ultimatum would tend greatly to restore the influence of the French in Siam. The opinion here is that the issue of the controversy is a triumph for the French over English diplomats.

It is believed in diplomatic circles that there will be no disagreement between France and England in the delimitation of the frontier. It is also believed that China will adopt her customary course of *laissez faire*, and not meddle with the matter.

Important Notice.

The old and well-known firm of Lange & Co., Watchmakers and Jewelers, have removed their place of business from Government street to No. 86 Douglas street, where they will continue to sell off their stock at cost. All repairs of watches, and other orders sent us will be attended to as usual. *

CAPITAL NOTES.

A Question of Saluting — Special Analysis of Vinegar—No Distress in Labrador.

Trial by Newspaper—Final Draft of Manitoba School Case Prepared —Contract Awarded.

(From our own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, July 31.—The arrival of the Italian man-of-war Etna, at Montreal, gives rise to further complications. Yesterday the Etna formally saluted the commercial metropolis by twenty-guns. To-day a communication was received from the civic authorities requesting that the compliment be returned by the firing of a salute from St Helen's Island. It happened, however, that Montreal was not a saluting station, and much as the department would wish to pay a compliment to the Italian vessel it has been compelled to decline the request to order the salute. The Deputy Adjutant-General was instructed, however, to wait upon the Admiral and explain to him the circumstances

The laboratory branch of the Inland Revenue department is at present engaged in the analysis of vinegar. It is understood that considerable vinegar is now being made from imported strong acid obtained by distillation from wood. While this so-called vinegar is not deleterious this is an imposition on the public.

The Government steamer La Canadienne arrived at Gaspe yesterday from Labrador. She reports cod fishing excellent and salmon fishing fair. There are no reports of distress such as one is accustomed to hearing in the past few years.

The Department of Railways and Canals has awarded the contract for 1,300 lineal feet of steel pipe required in connection with the Sault Ste Marie canal to the Central Ontario Bridge Co., Peterboro.

A Montreal legal firm has published a pamphlet of over 100 pages narrating its fight with the Customs department over seizure of imported glass. Seeing the case is *sub judice* it seems strange that this course was taken.

W. Baker who went through the Northwest rebellion as a private in the 91st battalion writes from Penang, Straits Settlements applying for the Northwest medal.

The final draft of the Manitoba School case for reference to the Supreme Court has been adopted. It contains few changes from the draft previously published. They are chiefly clerical in character.

CANADIAN NEWS.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

Lady Mount Stephen Ill.

MONTREAL, July 31.—Word has been received here to the effect that Lady Mount Stephen is seriously ill, and may not return to Canada.

Church Burned.

PORT HOPE, July 31.—The Methodist church here was damaged by fire, this morning, to the extent of over $3,000.

Canadian Sault Ste. Marie Canal.

OTTAWA July 31.—The Minister of Railways and Canals expects that the Canadian Sault Ste. Marie canal will be ready for traffic by May 1, next year.

Canada's Fishery Yield.

OTTAWA, July 31.—Statistics just prepared show the value of the fishery yield of Canada of the past year to be $18,041,171, a decrease of $36,007, as compared with the previous year. In connection with the *modus vivendi*, 108 licenses were issued, last year, as compared with 36 in 1888. The yield of the fisheries in 1892 was more than four times greater than in 1869.

A Forger Will Surrender.

TOTTENHAM, July 31.—It is reported Henry Charles Aitken, a private banker in this city, who fled in August, 1892, after uttering forged paper, principally on the Bank of Hamilton, for $30,000, is about to return to Canada and surrender himself.

Old Volunteer Dead.

SEAFORTH, July 31.—Dr. T. T. Coleman is dead, aged 68. He had been for years engaged in the salt industry and was lieut.-colonel of the Thirty-third battalion. He was the first reeve of Seaforth and had been mayor several times.

Drowned.

SARNIA, July 31.—Edward Roberts, aged 19, was drowned this morning. He was bathing in the river and was carried down by the current.

WINNIPEG WIRINGS.

Manitoba and Northwestern Railway—Early Session of the Northwest Assembly.

WINNIPEG, July 31.—(Special)—A petition has been presented to the Court in the suit of Allan against the Manitoba & Northwestern Railway Company, on behalf of the English bondholders. The petitioners are Lieut.-Col. Grey, of East Sheen, Surrey, and Sir John Robert Heron Maxwell, Bart., of Hamilton House, Tooting, Surrey, England. They ask that the receiver of the road make separate accounts of the moneys received, and that he expend nothing on the parts of the road in which they are not interested.

Alex. Moore, the city scavenger, had his back broken to-day in a runaway.

A Regina dispatch says that circulars have been sent to the members of the Northwest Assembly, requesting them to be in readiness for the session, which is likely to be called for the 10th of August.

Nellie Kimms, a young woman who came to Brandon from the old country, in May last, and since employed as a domestic servant, yesterday sought to commit suicide by taking a dose of strychnine. The timely arrival of a physician, and the employment of an emetic, saved her life.

Eseljay's Liver Lozenges are pleasant to take. They are laxative but strengthening.

Carpenter tools at Cheapside. ‡

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

Vancouver Aldermen Use Unparliamentary and Heated Language Towards Each Other.

Fraser Canneries Can't Handle all the Fish Offering—Foreign Coal Shipments.

[Special to the COLONIST.]

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, July 31.—The recent fracas in the British House of Commons affected the members of the City Council to-night. Ald. Collins rose to a question of privilege, objecting in forcible language to the coroner's jury's verdict in the case of the death of Ida Philips, and some lively talk ensued.

A by-law was introduced to purchase the tramway for $360,000. Alderman Collins appeared to change his front in favoring it.

Alderman Brown said Alderman Collins' conduct was strange, as he said the outside system was not good. Was it worth $360,000.

Ald. Collins said, "That's an unqualified lie; I didn't."

Ald. Brown repeated the charge four times, and Ald. Collins, rising to a point of order, gave him the lie four times.

The Mayor said Ald. Collins always maintained to him that the road was worth $360,000.

Ald. Fowler said, "Why don't you call Ald. Brown down, instead of pretending to mete out justice?"

The Mayor said, "I'll have to call you to order, Ald. Towler."

Ald. Towler said, "That wouldn't amount to much from a man like you."

The Mayor said, "Now, now, I have had enough of that."

The clouds then cleared as suddenly as they had sprung up, and the Council adjourned, this heated debate being the only important business of the meeting.

WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, July 31. — The youngest son of D. McPhaden, of the B. C. Cattle Co., died yesterday of diphtheria.

Captain Pittendrigh held an investigation to-day into the escape of J. M. Cubbins from the Provincial jail. The result will be forwarded to the Attorney-General's department.

It is likely the re-opening of the schools will be postponed until September 1.

Fifty men arrived yesterday from the South and went up to Kootenay to-day to work on the Nakusp & Slocan railway.

The weather yesterday was the warmest of the season, registering 86° in the shade. To-day it is 84°.

W. T. Blair was fined $50 in the District court, this morning, for selling a barrel of beer at Steveston without a license.

The sockeye catch, last night, was over 500 to the boat, and canners have been obliged to limit the contract fishermen, the supply is so great.

The Port & Winch Co. shipped 20,000 pounds of salmon to New York yesterday.

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, July 31.—The quarterly meeting of the B. C. Agricultural society was held here this evening.

John Rosenfeld, of San Francisco, the principal stockholder in the New Vancouver Coal Company, is here. Mr. Rosenfeld will be in town several days, and before he leaves it is expected that arrangements for the future operations of the colliery will be made.

H. McAdie, of this city, has been awarded the contract for building the new Provincial jail. His tender was $17,375.

The foreign coal shipments for the month amounted to over 52,000 tons. The New Vancouver Coal Co. shipped 25,376; Wellington, 17,792; East Wellington, 1,525; Union, 9,167.

The three men, Doherty, Cameron and Bullock, convicted of selling whiskey to Indians, received their sentences to-day. Doherty was fined $450, the others $300 each, or on default of payment, six months' imprisonment. The charge against the steamer Ina is now in progress.

Arrived, steamer Grandholm.

Sailed, steamer Romulus.

COWICHAN LAKE.

COWICHAN LAKE, July 29.—One of the most pleasant outings anywhere in the vicinity of Victoria is a trip up the E. & N. railway to Duncan's, and thence by stage to Cowichan Lake. The drive from Duncan's, of about 20 miles, is exceedingly charming, winding about through the forest until you arrive at the lake, which is about 20 miles long, and in some places, in what is called the upper or large lake, as much as five miles in width. On each side the mountains rise from 500 to 3000 feet, whilst at the extreme head of the lake they attain the height of many thousand feet, being snow-capped the year round. The lake is teeming with trout, and is fast becoming a very popular resort for sportsmen and tourists.

Messrs. Hughett & McIntyre have a very extensive logging camp, where they employ between 60 and 70 men; a trip through the camp and watching the huge logs being taken out of the woods, to anyone who has not seen such operations before, are not easily forgotten.

After thoroughly enjoying the fishing and scenery of the lake, a trip down the Cowichan river, with a couple of Indians and a canoe, to Duncan, shooting through rapids and winding eddy, is a trip never to be forgotten, and always looked back upon with pleasure.

SAYWARD.

SAYWARD, July 27.—The rails were completed over the Pend d'Oreille bridge on 25th inst., and an engine passed over for the first time. The contractors are working to make connection with the material yard at the back of Sayward, to save hauling by wagon road. The grade is very well advanced the whole way from Sayward to the Salmon river; nearly all cuts and fills are completed, and bridging is now in progress. Considerable difficulty has arisen with the tie makers, who are dissatisfied with the price paid, and as all the available timber near the right-of-way has been cut, there seems a probability that some delay may arise on this account, as not more than one-third the number of ties required has been got out.

Beaver creek and its tributaries near Sayward are being well prospected this year; Wm. Feeney has a good gold prospect and J. O'Neill another, within two miles of the town; Albert Barrett has located a rich ledge of good looking copper pyrites, also close to the town.

Perhaps as much attention has been drawn to the Salmon river country this year as anywhere in the Province, justified by the undoubtedly rich placers which have been located from the Pend d'Oreille northwards. Quite a settlement has sprung up spontaneously on the north fork of the Salmon river, near the railroad crossing, where the trails converge, and many prospectors are now going into the country along the railroad wagon road.

A very rich placer bar has been located on the south side of the Pend d'Oreille by Mr. B. F. Budd, which gave as much as 86 cents to the pan, of good, heavy flake gold.

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"THE QUEEN OF TABLE WATERS."

KASLO.

KASLO, July 29.—During the past week considerable mining property has changed hands in the Slocan for big figures. Mr. Montgomery, of New York, who the week previously acquired possession of a half interest in the Washington, has purchased a quarter in the Bluebird, paying therefor at the rate of $65,000 for the whole. Another of the properties disposed of is the Surprise, situated close by the Noble Five. This has been bonded to Winnipeg parties for twenty days for $15,000, the short bond making it really a purchase. S. T. Walker has gone to Winnipeg on behalf of the bond-holders to arrange for the transfer. This mine is pretty fully developed, about 60 tons of good ore, assaying as high as 560 oz., being on the dump. On Saturday J. Almoure surrendered his eighth interest in the Snowbird to D. M. Martin, who transferred the same with a one-sixteenth of the Whistler to T. A. Garland of Portage la Prairie for $10,000, $1,000 cash down. Both of these properties carry a high percentage of gold, besides silver, the former assaying $764 to the ton. Messrs. Martin, McKenzie, Horrochs and Bucke left town on Monday to develop the Snowbird, it and the Whistler, being looked upon as two of the most promising claims in the now famous Whitewater Basin.

Two young fellows from Vancouver have started out a promising claim at the head of the Whitewater basin, giving it the high sounding name of Australian Queen.

The owners of the World's Fair property are running a trail from the mine to Whitewater creek, so as to enable them to haul out ore, of which there are about 200 tons on the dump, besides 100 tons of carbonates. Together with the World's Fair, the Washington, Big Bertha, Mountain Chief and a number of other mines will commence sending in their output to the sampler. The wagon road is now in capital condition as far as Bear lake, so that teaming is comparatively easy. A vast amount of travel is constantly passing to and fro, especially stages, the number of which has been increased to four. This has resulted in a cut in the rates for both freight and passengers.

Father Bedard, acting for the Roman Catholic authorities in this district, is negotiating with the Rand & Miller syndicate for the erection of a hospital and convent on their property, the estimated cost of which aggregates more than $12,000. The syndicate has offered a free site of four and a half acres, which, if the financial outlook improves, will be accepted and the buildings erected. Provided such were the case, each department would be made a centre for the entire Kootenay district, which means a great deal for Kaslo. Spokane parties are also dickering with the syndicate for a free site on the water front to put up a four-story brewery, fitted up in the most approved and modern manner. The syndicate have spent a large sum of money in building roads and in otherwise opening up their valuable property, which by fall will have a number of residences erected on it.

Late Saturday night J. Lane came in from the Duncan with some specimens from a ledge that he had struck, but not located, as he thought it was no good. An assay, however, showed the rock to contain 620 ounces to the ton, in a two foot ledge. By daylight next day Lane was on his way to the Duncan to stake out the property, feeling much excited at his good fortune.

Several parties of prospectors returned on Sunday from the Duncan country, having been driven out by snowslides. They report all the streams filled with debris and travelling generally as dangerous. Near Duncan City several rich strikes have been made in the tracks of the slides, which have laid bare the ore. One of the men, named Jones, told of a narrow escape from drowning the members of his party had earlier in the season. While going up one of the numerous streams their boat caught in a log jam and overturned, throwing the men into the water. Jones went down under the logs and escaped by a miracle. Their outfit was totally lost, entailing a loss of $250.

Mr. Hayden has just come in from Duncan City, having located a claim that assays 100 ozs. silver, 4 dwt. gold and 40 per cent. lead.

The diamond drill, which has been working for some time in the Wellington, has been despatched to Prince Edward Island, at the instance of the Dominion Government, to be used in experimenting for a tunnel under the Northumberland Straits. The machine proved of little avail in the mine, because of the presence of gravel in more or less large quantities in the side walls.

Over 200 names have been added to the Provincial voters' list in this section. The date of application expires on August 1.

During Monday night, while the steamer Ainsworth was lying at the wharf, Harry Herbert, the purser, mysteriously disappeared. He had been drinking heavily, having had to be carried on board. Nothing could be seen of him next morning, though search was made for more than an hour. One of the crew picked up his hat floating on the water, and it is surmised he fell overboard and was downed, as nothing has since been heard of him. Herbert was about 22 years of age and a great favorite with all, having been on the boat since last winter.

The machinery for the sampling works is now being placed in position, having been brought up from the ferry by the Idaho on Monday. Crushing will commence at an early date.

J. Muir, late of Victoria, is now installed as deputy in the postoffice, vice B. Crane. The office is now open on Sundays for boxholders and the general delivery from 11 to 12 and from 5 to 6.

The C. P. R. telegraph line is being rapidly pushed out into the hills, and by the end of the week will have reached Bear Lake. The wires are being strung as the poles go up, so as to permit of immediate use. It is given out that the company have purchased the telephone line to Nelson, and will utilize it as a part of the system by August 1.

Large congregations were present last Sunday at the first services held in the new Presbyterian church, albeit the windows were covered by canvas, and the seats of a very temporary nature. The inside of the church still remains unfinished, and will be, till sufficient funds can be raised to remedy the difficulty. The building presents a very neat appearance, J. R. Easton having been the architect, and McIntosh & Co. the builders. It will seat 250 persons. Next Tuesday evening the ladies will give a concert in the building in aid of the furnishing fund.

Mr. J. Hendry, of the Kaslo-Slocan Railway Co., has come and gone, and very little has been divulged to the public relative to the plans of the company for the building of the road, he preferring to maintain an attitude of "hear everything but tell nothing." In company with Mr. Baillie, Mr. Hendry visited the principal mines in the district, the former still being in the hills. It is to the coast that the citizens look for a definite announcement of the policy of the company, for, apart from Supt. Watts, of the Wellington, statement that Mr. Hendry had assured him that seventeen miles of the road would be built by fall, nothing is known. One or two knowing parties express the utmost confidence in the statement, having no hesitation in asserting that the road will be built.

An agitation, having as its object the establishment of an American consular agency here, has been started, with every prospect of success, representations having been made to Washington in its favor.

J. Thompson, well known in St. Paul, Minn., is here in the interests of a powerful syndicate of Eastern American capitalists, who are desirous of purchasing mining properties.

However hardly the present low price of silver is pressing on other countries, it seems to have little effect upon the Kootenay district, to judge from the large numbers of prospectors who still flock out into the hills. The past week has been noted for the many men who have gone into the St. Mary's country, which is showing up well, both in gold and silver.

GOLDEN.

(From the Golden Era.)

Mr. Dawson, C.E., is at Hector looking into the matter of introducing electricity for obtaining power to haul the trains from Field up the heavy grade of the big hill. Another electrician has also been there recently for the same purpose.

John E. Askwith has returned this week from the Coast, where he has succeeded in forming a syndicate, composed of some of the leading mining men of Victoria, with a capital of $300,000. The mill is now in position at the mine.

The Smelter Townsite company have come forward splendidly in connection with the hospital scheme. They have given a good sum of money towards the erection of the building and have made an offer of twenty lots free.

REVELSTOKE.

(From the Kootenay Star.)

Three of the richest strikes ever made in the district have occurred in the Lardeau during the past ten days. All the lodes are well defined and of great size. One of them is on the north fork of the Lardeau, and is composed of copper-silver glance. Another, of grey copper and galena, showing native gold, is on the South Lardeau (Gainer Creek). The third is a big ledge of grey copper-chloride, about eleven miles up Fish Creek from Lardeau City. It was discovered by three prospectors named Redcliffe, Clark and Washington, who brought down huge samples weighing about 100 pounds. Great excitement prevailed at Thompson's Landing and Lardeau City on receipt of the news, and at once a rush was made up the creek to stake claims.

LARDEAU.

(From the Miner.

The trail up Lardeau Creek is nearly completed.

C. F. Blackburn, to whom the Great Northern was bonded last winter, has taken up the bond, paying down $9,000 cash.

H. Lindenborn has located a vein of copper ore which assays 80 per cent. Ore containing nickle was discovered on the east range a few days ago. No assay has yet been made, but it appears to be fairly good.

The Silver Cup vein is 75 per cent. better than it was last fall and is increasing in size as they go down. They expect to commence shipping ore about the middle of next month.

DONALD.

(From the Miner.)

An excitement took place last week at the discovery of quartz and placer gold on Quartz creek, about five miles below Porcupine creek, where a lot of gold has been taken out and a Government trail made. Ten placer claims have been recorded as well as quartz claims.

Prospectors are making their way towards Kombasket Lake and Big Bend, where the yellow metal is to met with in both placer and quartz. The trail from Donald to the gold country is being cleared and extended as far as Kombasket Lake.

NELSON.

(From the Miner.)

W. A. Allen, of Ottawa, the representative of the Wellington group and other properties, says that if he can arrange with the smelters to take his ore he will continue work all winter, as the ore would stand the decline in silver.

Messrs. Jowett and Chadbourne have given instructions to have considerable work done on the Abbott group of mines in the Slocan. A gang of twelve men will be kept at work constantly for two months at least, doing assessment and development work.

At the South Kootenay Board of Trade meeting in Nelson, last week, R. E Lemon was elected president; J. A. Turner, vice-president; G. A. Bigelow, secretary-treasury; and Messrs. Holt, Houston, Robson, Wilson, Hume, Kilker, Applewhaite Marsden, Squire, Teetzel, Bogle and Watson, members of the council and of the arbitration board. Messrs. Applewhaite and Houston auditors.

The "tote" road along the route of the Nelson & Fort Sheppard railway is completed over into the valley of the Salmon river, and will be through to a connection with the one from the Nelson end within two weeks.

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HIS HEAD WAS CLEAR.

Charles Hannigar's Strange Story of How He Was Drugged and Robbed.

An Early Morning Hack Ride Punctuated With Stops by the Way For Refreshments.

A strange case, in very many particulars, is that in which Edward Much is the defendant, and which was opened in the Police court yesterday with the prosecutor, Charles Hannigar, in the witness box for upwards of an hour and a half. Hannigar says that he was drugged and robbed of nine ten dollar bills by the man Much, and that O. M. Crozier, who owns and drives a hack licensed by the city of Victoria, was cognizant of and a partner in the robbery. Both Much and Crozier are under arrest, the former charged with robbery and the latter with being an accessory before the fact.

At yesterday's hearing the evidence of Hannigar was taken, besides the testimony of Jailer Mitten and of the bar-tenders at the Occidental and at Henley's hotel. The story as told by the prosecution is, in brief, given below: Charles Hannigar, who is not "a drinking man," as the term is generally used, was, on Saturday, paid $100 by a friend who had been in his debt for about six years. The money was in ten dollar bills, and it is nine of these bills that it is alleged were stolen. The prosecutor and the defendant met during Saturday evening at the Occidental hotel, where they had a "couple of drinks" together, Hannigar taking beer. From there they went to the Colonial, next to the Teutonia and finally to the Pritchard, having one drink at each of the three houses, Hannigar each time drinking beer.

Coming out of the Pritchard house Hannigar announced his intention of going home, and called out "Good-night" to the bartender. Much asked him where he lived, and on being told "James Bay" exclaimed, "That's in my direction; let's take a hack and go home together." Crozier was conveniently near and the two got into the carriage and drove across the bridge. Reaching Hannigar's street the hackman pulled up and Hannigar got out. Crozier asked him to pay for the rig and he objected, saying that Much ordered the rig and should stand the damages for himself; he didn't mind paying his share, he said, and tendered two quarters, which were not, however, accepted. Crozier could not change the ten dollar bill presented, Hannigar changing his mind and deciding to pay the bill, and so finally he was bundled back into the hack. He made no protest being under the impression that they were going to drive him to where he could break the bill, and not objecting to that arrangement. Soon after the carriage started, according to Hannigar's story, a queer feeling came over him; he could not move hand or foot, neither could he speak, although his mental faculties were undimmed. It was while in this condition that he alleges that Much went through his pockets, appropriating the roll of bills.

The carriage stopped at Henly's hotel, Clover Point, where the bartender was roused from sleep and Much and Crozier went in for a "liquor up." Hannigar remained in the hack and Much brought him out a "Collins" which he drank, thinking it might make him better. It caused him to vomit and Much then ordered a second and stronger drink; this he refused to swallow. Much mounted the box with Crozier and the horses were turned toward town. The hack stopped in the side drive near the park bear pit and Crozier got down and told him that he was at home, offering to lift him out. He by this time had recovered his voice though not the use of his limbs and protested that he did'nt live in the park.

Crozier again took the lines and drove on as far as the Caledonia grounds, where the same scene was re-enacted, and then another stop was made at the Bay View saloon, where Much and Crozier again drank, Hannigar remaining in the carriage. When the driver came out of the saloon, he put his head in the door of the carriage, and told Hannigar that if he didn't get out he would drive him to the police station. He replied that that would suit him, and Crozier did drive to police headquarters, where he gave his passenger in charge for refusing to pay his fare for "riding about the city all night" The man was ill at the time, so the jailer took him in.

When he recovered sufficiently, he told his story in detail to Chief Sheppard, and the arrests followed. Several corroborative scraps of evidence have, it is said, since been secured. Hannigar believes that Much drugged his beer at two of the saloons visited.

STOCKS IN NEW YORK.

Great Depression Prevalent—Towards the Close a Recovery Sets In.

NEW YORK, July 30.—The week opened with great depression on the Stock Exchange, the "bears" being in full control of the market, owing to a decline in Americans in London, the reports of financial embarrassments in Chicago, the further break in wheat, and the difficulty of obtaining time money. Call loans opened at 1½ per diem and interest, and there were apprehensions of a squeeze. The active stocks yielded from 1 to 5 per cent. The dividend and non-dividend paying shares suffering alike. There was very little support from the professionals identified with the "bull" side of the account, and it was not until the "shorts" attempted to borrow stock to make deliveries that any decided change occurred. When the demand to borrow set in, it was found that some of the active stocks commanded anywhere from ½ to ½ per cent. per diem for use, and a disposition to cover soon manifested itself. In the meantime the engagement of $1,000,000 gold for shipment to New York, and about $750,000 to Chicago was reported from London, and foreign advices were to the effect that further amounts would be shipped during the next few days. The announcement that the New York clearing house had issued $2 525,000 loan certificates, had comparatively little effect, it being understood that it was for the purpose of assisting gold imports. There was an active investment inquiry for stocks throughout, and the execution of those orders assisted the late recovery. The transactions aggregated 418,525 shares, including 58,653 unlisted. Closing bids: Canadian Pacific, 67; Central Pacific, 17½; Wells, Fargo, 125; Great Northern preferred, 102; Missouri Pacific, 17⅝; North American, 5; Northern Pacific, 8, Northern Pacific preferred, 20½; Oregon Navigation, 30; Oregon Improvement, 8; Pacific Mail, 9½; Southern Pacific, 17½; Texas Pacific, 5; Union Pacific, 18; Western Union, 72¼.

FRANCE IN THE EAST.

The Ultimatum to Which the Siamese Are Expected to Subscribe Without Reservation.

PARIS, July 31.—In the negotiations over the Siamese affair the British Government, through its representative in Paris, is insisting that France shall not annex the territory north of the 18th parallel of latitude, ceded to Siam on condition that it should never be ceded to any other government. There is no doubt at the embassy that France will give way sooner or later, the British case being so clear to British eyes. This point, as far as the knowledge of the embassy goes, is the only one which Great Britain has made the subject of intervention.

In substance the ultimatum over which all the trouble is taking place was as follows:

"First—The recognition of the rights of France in Annam and Cambodia on the left or eastern bank of the Mekong river as far north as the twenty-third parallel of latitude.

"Second—The evacuation within a month of the forts held by the Siamese on the east bank of the river.

"Third—Full satisfaction for the various Siamese aggressions against the French ships and French sailors on the Menam river.

"Fourth—the punishment of the culprits and provision for pecuniary indemnity to the victims.

"Fifth—Indemnity of 200,000 francs for various damages sustained by French subjects.

"Sixth—The immediate deposit of 300,000 francs to guarantee the payment of the fourth and fifth clauses, or the assignment of taxes in certain districts in lieu of such deposit."

Owing to representations made to M. de Ville, Foreign Minister, by Lord Dufferin, British Ambassador to France, the question of a neutral zone between French possessions in the Siamese peninsula and British Burmah and the Shan states, has been settled satisfactorily. It has also been agreed that the French blockade of the Siamese coast shall be raised immediately.

CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA.

Army Reduction in Mexico—Wild Rumors Regarding Nicaragua Affairs.

SAN JUAN DEL SUL, Nicaragua, July 31.—Telegraphic communication with Granada has been restored, but official messages only have been so far allowed to be sent. Masaya has been occupied by the Leon revolutionists. Many wild rumors concerning the movements and proposed movements of troops on each side reach this port, but very little trustworthy information can be obtained. It is known, however, that there has been no fighting since the Zavella party evacuated Managua and retreated to Granada, where they are now entrenched. The steamer Victoria, which was sunk in Lake Nicaragua during the war against Sacaza, has been floated, and is now running between Granada and San Carlos.

CITY OF MEXICO, July 31.—It is expected that President Diaz will soon issue a decree outlining a plan for a considerable reduction of the army by the disbandment of four or five thousand men. This is part of the programme of economy decided upon by the administration, which is determined to make all possible sacrifices to pay interest on the foreign debt, which has become so heavy a charge owing to the enormous premium on gold. Auxiliary forces will be created, which can be used if required, but which will not be a serious burden on the treasury.

VALPARAISO, July 31.—President Penas will have a meeting to day to discuss the situation and decide whether the Federal Government shall interfere with the resolutions against the Provincial Government. The cabinet will also ask congress to send a committee of intervention to settle the trouble in San Luis. The revolt there was caused by the Radical party, who opposed the governor of the province and named a governor of their own. He organized a Provisional Government and is attempting to exercise the functions of a regularly appointed executive.

THE THOUSAND ISLANDS.

Government are Reconsidering the Question of Their Sale.

OTTAWA, July 31.—(Special)—The strong agitation which has been started by a large section of the press of the Dominion against the sale of over 600 of the Thousand Islands group, in the St. Lawrence, has attracted the attention of the Government, and the question is being reconsidered. It is said that some of the Ministers are in favor of cancelling the sale, which is advertised at Gananoque on August 10. If this reconsideration goes into effect it will probably only apply to the larger islands.

SIR JOHN ABBOTT.

He is Improving in Health, and Takes Great Interest in Public Matters.

MONTREAL, July 31.—(Special)—Sir John Abbott, yesterday, passed a very quiet and restful day, and appeared in the very best of spirits. He is very much improved in health, and his family do not think his condition by any means critical. He has never been obliged to take to his bed on account of his sickness; but a reclining posture seems to give him more ease than any other. He generally takes short walks, and shows a great deal of interest in everything, much as he used to do before his indisposition.

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The Cattle are well bred; a much larger herd could be farmed with the place. The bunch grass on the hills in the vicinity covers many thousands of acres, and is available to the few land owners in the valleys. All buildings and fences about the farm are in good order, and farming operations can be gone on with at once; about 180 acres of ploughing have been, so far, provided for this year's work.

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Victoria, B.C., July 10, 1893. jy11-tf

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July 11th, 1893. jy12

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Lytton ..... Monday ..... 9th October.
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[*On Vancouver Island.*]

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BRITISH SUBJECTS.

We, not long ago, when commenting on Mr. Laurier's "Canadianism," expressed the hope and belief "that the time is not far distant when a Canadian public man will no more think of avowing preference for Canada in matters of national concern than a Maine politician will of putting the interests, real or fancied, of the State of Maine before those of the United States." "This," the Halifax Chronicle says, "is a strange doctrine to be preached by a Canadian." In the course of its comments it says:

The illustration which the COLONIST draws from the relation between the individual States and the Federal Union, is not parallel to the relations existing between Canada and the Mother Country, though it may be regarded as parallel to the relations existing between the Provinces and the Confederation. We do not know what British Columbians or Maine men would do under such circumstances, but we frankly tell our Pacific Coast contemporary that when it comes to a clash of interests between Nova Scotia and the Federal Union, and if the Province is not clearly in the wrong we shall stand by Nova Scotia and her interests, and the majority of Nova Scotians will do the same.

We might retort on our Halifax contemporary and say this is a strange doctrine for a British subject to preach. According to the Chronicle there is no such thing as loyalty or patriotism in Canada. It scouts the idea of a colony preferring the interests of the Empire to its own, and it teaches that when the interests of the Confederation clash with those of the Province it is the duty of the provincials to stand by the Province; and we presume it will go still further and say that when the interests of the Province clash with those of the city or the county, it is the duty of the inhabitants of the city or county to take care of themselves and let the Province get along as best it may. A little reflection must show the intelligent Nova Scotian and British Columbian that no nation under the sun could exist for any length of time if its different parts were actuated by the spirit which the Chronicle ascribes to Nova Scotians. The very idea of a nation presupposes that the parts must be subordinate to the whole, and must work together for the good of the whole. Our neighbors of the United States know how much it cost them to assert and to vindicate this simple fundamental principle of nationality.

The Chronicle will have to admit that Nova Scotians are British subjects. This being the case, there are duties which they owe to the British nation. What are those duties? Have not Nova Scotians an interest in the preservation of the integrity of the British Empire? Does not Nova Scotia benefit by its strength and its prestige? Is it not the duty of Nova Scotians and Canadians generally to do what they can to keep up that strength and to increase that prestige? Are we to say that because the duty of colonists to the Mother Country is not strictly defined, they have no duties at all? Is it true that British connection means obligations on the part of Great Britain, but no corresponding obligations on the part of the dependencies? This would be a one-sided relation, indeed.

We are glad to see that many colonists are convinced that their welfare is very closely connected with that of the Mother Country, and that misfortune to her would be disastrous to them. Able and loyal men, both in Great Britain and her colonies, are seeking for some means of making the connection between them stronger and more stable, and of giving the British subject in Canada and Australia and South Africa exactly the same political status as the British subject in England, Scotland and Ireland. When that object is achieved no loyal subject will think of preferring the interests of any part of the Empire to those of the Empire as a whole.

THE PRESS OF PARIS.

Lord Dufferin was so vilely abused by the newspapers of Paris that he found residence in that city exceedingly unpleasant and uncomfortable. As Lord Dufferin is British Ambassador to France, those who insult him may be considered, in a sense, to insult the British nation. In order to show how the nation he represents regarded such treatment it was considered right that Lord Dufferin should withdraw from Paris for a time. This, however, had no effect on the blackguard journalists, who continued their slanders with increased virulence. The reader will be able to form a pretty fair idea of the nature of these attacks from the following extract from the article in the Times on the subject:

The lower ranks of journalism in most countries contain persons who will stick at nothing to sell their papers and get themselves before the world; and of such doubtless — perhaps ex-students such as the young rascals who began the recent riots—are the authors of the charges against the British Ambassador. They are just the sort of people who might be expected to talk of "Lord Dufferin's intrigues" and of "the British gold squandered for political purposes by Lord Dufferin." Nor do we wish to scrutinize too closely the incidents which have for some time indicated that these irresponsible scribblers drew inspiration from quarters where we should expect more common sense, or, at least, some rudimentary conceptions of professional dignity. Whoever may be the authors, the charges are written, printed and read; and the people of Paris are invited to believe, not only that England bribes as though she were a gigantic Panama syndicate, but that she employs as her agent of corruption a man who has been Viceroy of India, Governor-General of Canada, and the representative of his Sovereign—chosen when circumstances were particularly critical—at St. Petersburg, Constantinople and Rome. Although, of course, reasonable people in France treat these effusions with contempt, the fact that measures are not taken to stop them makes it quite natural that Lord Dufferin should not be unwilling to withdraw for a season from "the sphere of influence" of these calumnies. If a mob throws mud, the best course for a man who respects himself is to retire out of range. In this way those who can control the mob may learn what is expected of them.

It is easier to talk of controlling this mob of unprincipled journalists than to do it. If their own good sense and good feeling did not show them that the attacks on the representative of Great Britain were improper and indecent, it is hard to see how they were to be restrained by the Government without its resorting to measures which would bring upon it the reproach of attempting to restrict freedom of speech and to muzzle the press. However, when the dispute between France and Siam reached the acute stage, Lord Dufferin returned to Paris, and he then, no doubt, did good service to his country. The journalistic howlers could not then impair his usefulness.

THE MARCH OF PROGRESS.

The whistle of the locomotive is now heard in Jerusalem. There is a railroad from Jaffa to the Holy City, with stations having names that have been hitherto regarded as sacred. The Company have power to build branch lines from Ramleh, or Jaffa, to Nablous, and to Gaza via Ascalon. This sounds likes profanation, but travellers and pilgrims will soon get used to rushing across historic plains and over streams hitherto regarded as sacred. "All aboard for Jerusalem," and "five minutes refreshments at Gaza" will go far to take the romance out of eastern travel; and sacred spots visited by rail will, we would say, lose great part of their sacredness.

The first sod of this line was cut at Jaffa in March, 1890, and on September 26 the last spike was driven and the road opened for traffic. The length of the line is 54½ miles. At present there is one train a day each way, taking about two and a half hours for the journey, and there is also one freight train a day each way. The line cost eight and a half million francs, or about $1,700,000. Whether this short line to the Holy Land is likely to pay or not we have no means of knowing. It is proposed to extend the line to El-Arish, on the Egyptian frontier, there to connect with the Egyptian railways.

CROWDED CITIES.

Those who believe that Dr. Burwash was right when he said that the tendency of the rural population to crowd into the cities is one of the effects of the policy of protection, will see by the following passage written by one of the deepest thinkers and most accomplished writers in Great Britain that it is regarded as one of the results of the free trade policy of England:—

The increase of cities is a certain tendency of our age, and is not confined to England, *where frantic manufacturing ambition and feudal institutions in the country stimulate that tendency to the utmost.* But there is a tendency no less certain at work—the improvement of cities. The present generation has seen an enormous advance toward the true municipalization of great towns. Municipal patriotism, art, beauty, health, relaxation, are at least ideals and possibilities.

There are even now great towns which are well on the road to become worthy abodes of civilized man. Edinburgh, Nottingham, Halifax, Huddersfield, Oxford, are putting their house in order, and may one day be fit to be called the home of cultured citizens. Mr. William Morris is wrong in dreaming that we are all going to live in the country. Half of us, I trust, will. But the other half will live in reasonable, moderate, healthy, fair, and highly organized towns.

Our task is to make our towns wholesome, beautiful, pleasant, and convenient. It is a tremendous task, but it is not beyond the resources of civilization in the twentieth century. And as to the increase of city "wens," that will be met by the reducing of population, the cessation of industrial "progress," the discipline and self-defense of towns, and the sobering effects of the normal and quiet "stationary" state.

If there is a tendency to over-people the cities, there is also a tendency to improve them. Science, enterprise and intelligence are doing wonders in some countries in making cities healthy, comfortable and beautiful, and it is one of the surest signs of backwardness and want of intelligence in those who are entrusted with the management of a city's affairs when they fail to do their utmost to accomplish these objects.

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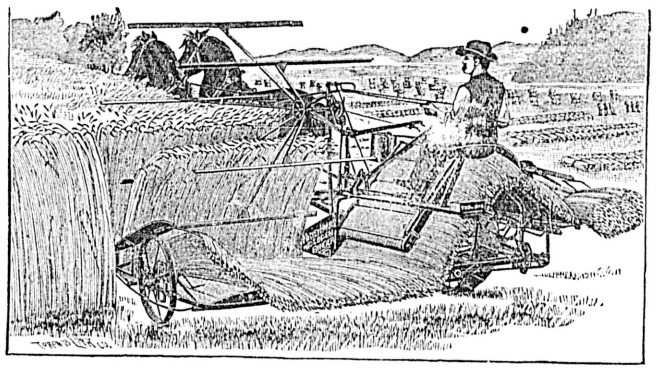

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TENDERS.

CITY OF VICTORIA,

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Tenders for Debentures.

Sealed tenders, endorsed "Tenders for Debentures," will be received at the office of the undersigned on or before the 22nd August, 1893, for the purchase of Debentures of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, amounting to $85,000, in sums of $1000 each, payable in fifty years from 3rd July, 1893, and bearing interest from that date at the rate of 4½ per centum per annum, payable half yearly with principal and interest payable in currency or its sterling equivalent at the rate of $4 86⅔ to the one pound sterling, at the Bank of British North America, either at New York, U.S.A., or Montreal or Victoria, Canada.

The tenderer must state the price net at Victoria which he will pay.

In addition to the net price the purchaser will have to pay the Corporation the interest at 4½ per centum per annum from July 3rd, 1893, to whatever date the money is received by the City Treasurer.

The above debentures are issued under authority of the Educational Loan By-law, 1893, with principal and interest secured by a rate on all ratable land and improvements in the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

The Corporation does not bind itself to accept any tender.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
City Clerk.

City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, B.C., 17th July, 1893. jy18

CITY OF VICTORIA,

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Local Improvement Debentures.

Sealed tenders, endorsed "Tenders for Broad Street Local Improvement Debentures," will be received at the office of the undersigned on or before the 22nd August, 1893, for the purchase of Local Improvement Debentures amounting to $10,788, payable in ten years from November 24th, 1892, and bearing interest from that date at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, payable half yearly, with principal and interest payable at Victoria, B.C. The tenderer must state the net price at Victoria which he will pay.

In addition to the net price the purchaser will have to pay the Corporation the interest at 5 per cent. from 24th November, 1892, to whatever date the money is received by the City Treasurer.

The above Debentures are issued under authority of "The Broad Street Local Improvement By-law, 1892" and are secured by a special rate imposed by that by-law, and on that security only. The total assessed value of the whole real property ratable under the above by-law, according to the assessment roll of 1892, is $685,384.

The Corporation does not bind itself to accept any tender.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
City Clerk.

City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, B.C., July 17th, 1893. jy18

TENDERS

will be received by the undersigned for the purchase of his RESIDENCE at the corner of Boyd street and Luxton avenue, one block from Dallas Road, James Bay, up to Monday, the 31st July. The house comprises a wide entrance hall pannelled in cedar with open fireplace, dining-room pannelled in cedar, drawing-room, library, large kitchen, scullery, outer kitchen and pantries, five good bedrooms, large bathroom; all with modern conveniences. It stands on two lots with 100 feet frontage on both streets, with good tennis lawn and enclosed washing green.

The house may be viewed on Wednesdays and Saturdays from 2 to 6 p.m.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

jy18-6t P. McF. MACLEOD.

NAVAL CONTRACTS.

TENDERS will be received here on behalf of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, until noon of Tuesday, 1st of August next for supplying such quantities of Soft Bread, Salt Beef, Lime, Coffins and digging Graves, as may be required for Naval purposes.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Forms of tender can be obtained at this office.

JAMES H. INNES,
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Royal Naval Yard,
Esquimalt, 1st July, 1893. jy1

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THE CITY.

A MEETING of the Council of the Board of Trade is called for this morning.

JOHNSTON street eastward from Chambers is closed during the prosecution of repairs.

Children, look out for the grand parade at 12 o'clock to-day of the trained animal show and dog circus. Two blocks long. Matinee at 2:30 in Victoria Theatre.

A MEETING of the Public School Board, at which considerable business of interest and importance will be disposed of, has been called for this evening at the usual place and hour.

THE members of the Victoria Building Society attended a fully representative meeting on Saturday evening, when the half yearly balance sheet was presented and pronounced satisfactory.

A SERVICE of song, under the direction of Mr. J. G. Brown, took the place of the usual sermon at the First Presbyterian church on Sunday evening. Addresses were also delivered by Mr. Teague and Mr. Weston.

Performing ponies, goats, dogs, monkeys and birds at the matinee this afternoon and in the evening. Most interesting and amusing entertainment your children could witness. Prices, 50 cents; children, 25 cents.

AT a meeting of the shareholders of the Federation Brand Salmon Canning Co., ltd., on Saturday evening last, the following trustees were elected: Walter Morris, A. J. McLellan, W. T. Goodwin, Philip Wyman and James Parker.

MR. ROBERT CURRIE, late engineer of the R. M. Ss. Empress of China, and Mrs. Mary Cameron, of this city, were joined in marriage on Saturday evening last by Rev. P. McF. Macleod, at that gentleman's residence on Boyd street, James Bay.

COLONIST readers were on Sunday morning informed that they should prepare for a pleasant and seasonable excursion next Saturday. Victorians need not know today where they are going; it will be time enough to-morrow, when the detailed announcement will be made.

CHARLES RAMOS, general manager of the Slough Creek Mining Co., Cariboo, is at the Oriental. The work at this point is proceeding with energy, about 300 feet of the tunnel drain yet remaining to be run to connect with the shaft. This will also require 210 feet more, when it is expected the golden nuggets will be taken out by the bucket.

RT. REV. BISHOP PERRIN spent Sunday in the Salt Spring Island parish, where he was given an enthusiastic reception by the members of what is one of the most largely increasing congregations in the diocese. While at Salt Spring the Bishop administered the rite of confirmation, there being a large number of candidates prepared by the rector, Rev. J. B. Haslam.

THE Great Northern railway have again made a cut in the first-class rate to Chicago, which from Victoria is now $32. Passengers travelling by this route, also have the advantage of a cut in time; leaving Victoria this evening by the Kingston, they are landed in Chicago at 9:30 p.m. on Friday. The latest cut in fare is but $1 60, though that should be sufficient to keep the tourist in cigars en route.

AT a regular monthly meeting of Victoria Typographical Union, No. 201, held on Sunday last, the report of the delegate to the International World's Fair Convention was presented and briefly considered It is so voluminous and interesting a document that it will afford material for debate during weeks and months to come. The Union have re-elected Mr. W. H. Cullin delegate to the district convention, with Mr. R. Holloway alternate.

THE police are searching, though with poor prospects, for the party or parties unknown, who a few evenings ago drew the staple of the warehouse door at Janion's wharf and removed a package of bear and beaver skins, which had only a short time before been received from the North by the Boscowitz. The bundle was valued roughly at $300, and was consigned to R. P. Rithet & Co., Ltd.; whether the loss will fall upon the consignees or the warehouse men, will probably be left for the courts to decide.

BY REQUEST of the C. O. O. F. the funeral of the late George Morrison, whose death occurred from drowning at Shawnigan lake on Friday last, did not take place until yesterday afternoon, the object of the postponement being to afford the members of the society an opportunity to give their deceased brother burial with all the rights of the order. The funeral formed on Government at about 2 o'clock and proceeded to Christ Church Cathedral, where Rev. A. Beanlands officiated. The floral contributions were numerous and very pretty, one being in the form of three links, contributed by the society. Those who acted as pallbearers were: R. Shirk, R. Carter, J. Smith, J. Price, W. E. Ottoway and T. Baker.

MR. H. E. CROASDAILE, through whose exertions principally the Hall Mines company, limited, has been formed, was in his office yesterday for the first time since his return from England, receiving the congratulations of his friends on the successful termination of his visit abroad. He has little to add to what has already been said in regard to the company. It has been duly formed, and the directorate is a strong one in every way. Now the company only wait for the report of an expert, who will be sent out at once to commence operations on a magnificent scale. The depreciation of silver cannot even hamper the mine, for were silver to drop to half a crown an ounce the company would still find a good profit in the ore from the Silver King. It carries ten, fifteen and twenty per cent. of copper, and it would pay to operate the mine for the copper alone, the silver being an additional clear profit. Now that the ice has been broken—and Mr. Croasdaile found the crust a very thick one, thanks in a great measure to the financial cloud hanging over England and Australia, and America—British money may naturally be expected to find its way to British Columbia, where the commercial prospects, once understood, will secure the enlistment of practically unlimited capital—to the profit of the Province and of the investors.

A DISABLED wire caused a temporary suspension of tram car traffic for an hour or so yesterday evening.

The trained animal show and dog circus appears at the Victoria Theatre this afternoon at 2:30, and to night.

AH SAYE, a Chinaman, was arrested last evening on a charge of stealing old hoop iron from a hooper on Wharf street.

A SPECIAL meeting of the Victoria City Board of School Trustees will be held in the Police Chambers, City Hall, on Wednesday evening next, at 8 p.m.

FOUR of the largest blocks of sand stone, which have arrived in the city for the new Provincial Government buildings came down from Koksilah by the E. & N. railway yesterday morning. The blocks are to be used in one of the stairway landings of the building and are but small specimens of what is yet to arrive for similar purposes. Their average size is about 15 ft. by 6 ft, by 1 ft.

AFTER vespers in the Roman Catholic Cathedral on Sunday evening, a large number of the members of the congregation attended the meeting held by the Y. M. I. in Institute Hall, when J. D. Byrne, D. D. G. P., of Vancouver, gave an able lecture on the benefits derived from the society, morally and socially. A reception was given Mr. Byrne in the hall at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at which the majority of the members of the Y. M. I. were made personally acquainted with him.

A LARGE square iron retort together with a boiler and small steam pump now lie on Spratt's wharf waiting to be transferred by a steamer to the quarantine grounds at William's Head, where it will be used when in position for fumigating purposes. The retort will be so arranged that the clothing and effects of a person having a contagious disease can be placed on a small hand car from the side of a vessel and conveyed into the receptacle. While in the retort the clothing can be so perfectly fumigated that it will be impossible for a germ of any disease to live. Those who have seen the new wharf with all its piles encased in copper say that it is one of the finest on the Coast, the water being deep enough to allow any vessel big or little to go alongside.

THE performance given by Samwell & Giovanni, with their trained animals and birds in The Victoria, last evening, was well received, especially by those in the audience who admire pets, inasmuch as it gave them a good idea of what skilful training can do The clever and intelligent actions of the cockatoos at the command of Giovanni were perhaps the most marvellous features of the show, as in many of their antics they seemed to possess more than mere instinct. A very amusing part of the evening's programme were the cunning capers of the monkeys, while the two ponies exhibited also provoked considerable applause by their performances. In the dog and goat exhibitions there were many interesting features well worth seeing. The programme will be repeated this evening and at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon a children's matinee will be given.

UP THE ARM.

Outing Under the Auspices of No. 2 Company Volunteer Artillery.

The members of No. 2 Company Association of Volunteer Artillery intend having an outing on the waters of the Arm on Wednesday evening next The members of the other two companies and their lady friends have been invited, and as the Brown-Richardson combination will supply the music, all will have an enjoyable time. Launches will leave McIntosh's boathouse at eight o'clock, sharp. There will be dancing in the pavillion at the Victoria Gardens, the following being the programme:—

Bugle Call—"Assembly."
1. Lancers.
2. Waltz.
3. Polka.

Bugle Call—"Dinner."
4. Waltz.
5. Ripple.
6. Waltz

Bugle Call—"First Post."
7. Lancers.
8. Comus.
9. Waltz.

Bugle Call—"Last Post."
10. Schottiche.
11. Polka.
12. Waltz.

Bugle Call—"Lights Out."

There will be vocal and instrumental selections during the intremissions by members of the company.

Railway Wreck in Mexico.

MONCLOVA, Mex., July 31.—A wreck occurred on Saturday night on the Mexican International railway, near the Ravine station. A waterspout had washed away several rods of track, and the east bound passenger train dashed into the gap Express Messenger Furnival and Engineer James McLaughlin were fatally and Fireman Martin seriously injured. A tramp who was stealing a ride was killed. None of the passengers were injured.

Fire in San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 31. — The entire fire department responded to a general alarm for a fire which originated on the fourth floor of Buyer & Reichs, importers of fancy goods and notions, at 221 and 223 Bush street, at 5:30 this evening. Up to 7:30 the fire was not under control. H. S. Crocker & Co., printers and stationers, on one side, and Buckingham & Heicht, boots and shoes, on the other, are at present threatened.

Danish Diplomats.

COPENHAGEN, July 31.—It was officially announced to-day that Count de Sponneck, Danish minister to the United States, had been appointed in a similar capacity to Austra-Hungary. Count Revanlow, first secretary of the Danish Legation at St. Petersburg, has been appointed to succeed Count de Sponneck in Washington.

No more nauseous pills required! Eseljay's Liver Lozenges are pleasant to take and better than pills.

THE CITY COUNCIL.

New Cemetery Caretaker Wanted—Police Court Clerk Appointed—Old Men at Ross Bay.

Lengthy Communications on the Question of Buying Esquimalt Waterworks Co. Stock.

The regular weekly meeting of the City Council was held last evening, with Mayor Beaven in the chair and the following members of the Board present: Ald. McKillican, Styles, Bragg, Henderson, Munn, Miller and Baker. The number of spectators outside the bar was smaller than usual, but a keen interest was nevertheless taken in the proceedings.

After routine business Ald. Miller, chairman of the Cemetery committee, reported on a couple of matters referred to it for investigation. One of these was about hay cutting, for which $40 had been paid by the city, and the committee recommended that this amount should be collected from the man who got the hay. The complaints which had been made about the desecration of the graves were reported to be due as much to rivalry amongst the various gardeners as to anything else, and the committee therefore recommended a "clean sweep," and that Mr. George A. Dow be appointed caretaker, all the gardeners employed by private parties to be under his instructions while working in the cemetery.

ALD MILLER read Mr. Dow's testimonials, which he regarded as being as good as anyone could desire. He believed this man, if appointed, would be as good a caretaker as anyone that could be had.

ALD STYLES had no objection to Mr. Dow, but thought every alderman should have a chance to cast a ballot for the man he wanted.

ALD MILLER, referring to the complaints as to the desecration, told of one instance where salt had been sowed on a grave that had been very nicely decorated with flowers and grass; and, of course, these were all killed out. No positive proof of how the outrage had been committed was obtainable, but still one could judge a good deal by indications.

ALD BRAGG—If this appointment is made the chairman of the committee must take the full responsibility of it.

ALD HENDERSON thought the report, if adopted, would put more power in the hands of the caretaker than that official should have.

On motion of Ald. McKillican, seconded by Ald. Styles, the matter was laid over.

The Street committee reported, recommending that a drain be laid under the provisions of the surface drainage by-law along Menzie street to South Turner street.

ALD BRAGG charged the committee with sectionalism, and with favoring the aristocracy who lived out on Dallas road, and Ald. Styles replied at length, denying the allegation.

The report was adopted, as also was one from the Finance committee, recommending the payment of $735 out of the Surface Drainage by-law funds for this purpose and the payment of several small accounts.

The Home committee reported that the old men were now moved out to the new building at Ross Bay, and they recommended that Mr. H. A. Sutherland be appointed caretaker *vice* Peterson resigned.

ALD STILES again objected to this way of doing business, as he had an idea that every citizen should have a chance to apply for the position of caretaker if he wanted to.

On a motion of Ald. McKillican that the report be adopted,

ALD MILLER drew attention to the fact that the Council had just laid over a report of his from the Cemetery committee. He had only one thing to say, however:

"'Tis strange what difference should be
Twixt tweedle-dum and tweedle dee."

The motion was adopted amidst much laughter.

On motion of Ald. McKillican, Mr. W. C. Pope was appointed Police court clerk.

ALD. MILLER, who had left the Council chamber for a moment while the resolution above referred to was passed, claimed he was not present and had not been fairly treated. If any alderman had worked to favor the interests of the people to the best of his ability he had done so; but singularly enough every effort he had made had been thwarted in some mysterious manner—and he did not understand why this should be so.

THE MAYOR claimed that the vote had been fairly taken.

ALD. MILLER replied that with respect to this particular motion, he had desired to have the vote taken in a different way, for the reason that several applicants, whom he could name, had told him that five aldermen had promised to vote for them, and he wanted to see how much reliance was to be placed on the word of aldermen who made such promises.

ALD MUNN introduced a by-law to repeal the by law granting aid to the Victoria, Saanich & New Westminster railway.

ALD. MCKILLICAN thought if this line could be built, even if it was parallel to the Victoria & Sydney railway, it would still be of great benefit, more particularly if it were to give a connection with the American roads. For his part, he did not want to throw any obstacle in the path of an enterprise of this kind.

ALD. MILLER did not think Victoria's experience with railways had been satisfactory. He foresaw if the by-law remained in force, the city might have to pay two bonuses for one road.

The by-law was put through committee, and passed without amendment.

ALD. MUNN introduced a by-law to amend the Streets by-law, so as to permit wood to be sawed on the streets, and to allow it to remain on the street for twelve hours after delivery, instead of three as at present.

After some discussion the Council went into committee on the by-law, and the committee rising, reported progress, and asked leave to sit again.

The Firewardens recommended that Engineer Atcheson be discharged, as asked by Chief Deasy. They further reported that they had made an exhaustive enquiry into the charges made against Chief Deasy by the suspended Engineer, with the result that they were confirmed in the opinion they previously held, that the Fire department is conducted in a satisfactory manner, and considering the cost is maintained in a state of great efficiency.

The report was adopted.

Voluminous communications from the Esquimalt Water Works Co. were read. These set out the proposition of the company that the city should subscribe for one-half the capital stock of the company, $200,000, when the by-laws would be so amended as to have the city represented by three directors on the board, the other three directors being elected by the other stockholders. A list of the present stockholders was also given. They hold $180,000 worth of stock, and the $20 000 remaining of the $400,000, after the city shall have subscribed for $200,000, is to be allotted to the present stockholders. The city is to buy the water of the company at six cents per 1000 gallons, and will, of course, participate in the dividends to the extent of one-half, so that the water will virtually cost three cents per thousand gallons, plus the city's share of the running expenses, which will be very small. The city is to collect and receive all its revenue from water rates within the city as at present, with the addition of those from Victoria West, and after paying out from moneys so received the six cents per 1,000 gallons, would have with the dividends of the company a handsome balance each year—so Mr. Lubbe figures it. He also forwarded lengthy accounts, showing the assets and liabilities of the company, with statements of receipts and expenditures for the past year.

ALD. MUNN favored the calling of a public meeting, at which the proposition should be laid before the citizens. He moved that the Mayor call a public meeting at some future day to consider the question.

ALD MILDER thought the details of the proposition should be printed so that the public should know what to think of it.

ALD BRAGG thought the Water Commissioner should attend the meeting fully prepared to discuss the question.

ALD BAKER said he would never cast his vote in favor of a proposition of this kind. If the city bought half the stock now, in five years they would be compelled to buy the company out.

The motion to call a public meeting was seconded by Ald. McKillican and carried, and the Council adjourned at 10 30 p.m.

Is your tongue coated? Take Eseljay's Liver Lozenges. They will work off that bilious condition.

Don't let your little ones miss the grand children's matinee of the trained animal show and dog circus, this afternoon at 2:30, at the Theatre.

Resources of British Columbia.

The new pamphlet published by the Provincial Government on the above subject, may be purchased at Hibben & Co.'s book store. jy12

Cutlery.

Razors, knives, scissors, table cutlery and having materials at Fox's, 78 Government St.

DEATH OF A PIONEER.

Mr. William Pinchbeck, of Williams Lake, Cariboo, Dead.

150-MILE HOUSE, July 31.—(Special)—William Pinchbeck, the pioneer of Williams Lake, died suddenly yesterday. The deceased had been for many years an extensive rancher, the concern being known, at one time, as Pinchbeck & Lyon. Mr. Pinchbeck was one of the most enterprising men in the district, and contributed very much to the advancement of Golden Cariboo. From his extensive ranch he largely supplied the mining camps, and many an unfortunate, "down on his luck," was indebted to him for timely aid. The deceased was universally respected the country round, was a Justice of the Peace, and, at the elections of 1890, was an unsuccessful candidate for the Provincial Legislature. For some time Mr. Pinchbeck has been in delicate health, and some time back was in the city for a considerable period attending to business, and at the same time seeking medical assistance. He was by birth an Englishman, and leaves a widow and several children who share the universal sympathy.

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Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday,
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The date has been placed earlier this year than formerly—during the beautiful August weather—and exhibitors and visitors may feel perfectly satisfied that there will be a very large display in every department, bright sunshine, an immense attendance, enjoyable sports, and in every way a successful show.

There will be Sports of all kinds, particulars of which will be published later. HORSE RACES, GYMKANA, LACROSSE, ATHLETICS, &c.

A first-class Band will provide music every day and evening. Railway and Steamship lines will carry passengers and exhibits at reduced rates.

All entries will finally close on Saturday evening, August 5th. Price Lists and Entry Forms, etc., on application to

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IN THE LAW COURTS.

A Big Day's Business Just Before the Opening of the Long Vacation.

Four Supreme Court Cases Called—Two Trials in Progress—Suit For Slander.

Around the Law courts, yesterday, there was much more life than usual, all the lawyers being anxious to close up as much business as possible before the long vacation, which begins to-day and will extend until the end of September. Four Supreme court cases were called, and two disposed of; one will be continued some time during the week, and in another the trial goes on again to-day.

BISHOP V. IRVING.

This was an action for slander brought by Frank James Bishop against Robert Irving. The plaintiff is a coachman, who was for over six years in the employ of Sir Joseph Trutch, and was subsequently engaged by the defendant, for whom he had worked five or six months when he was discharged. About four months after being discharged the defendant came to him, at Mr. Joseph Sayward's, and accused him of stealing a suit of clothes. The plaintiff and Captain Sayward testified that Mr. Irving had used the expression to Bishop: "You are a thief, and I am a gentleman," and had declared he would have him (Bishop) arrested for stealing the clothes. The damages claimed were $5,000. The defence was that the language was never used, and that, if used, it did not impute a felony. The case was tried before the Chief Justice and a special jury, with Mr. R. Seabrook as foreman, Mr. A. E. McPhillips appearing for the plaintiff, and Hon. C. E. Pooley, Q.C., for the defendant. The jury, after being out for over an hour, brought in a verdict giving the plaintiff $175, and judgment was accordingly entered, with costs, for that amount.

COMMERCIAL BANK OF MANITOBA V. KOOTENAY SMELTING & TRADING SYNDICATE.

An action to recover two thousand odd dollars on a promissory note. The case was called before the Chief Justice, and judgment was entered for the amount claimed, by consent. The question of interest was left over to be settled upon by counsel or, in case of failure, to agree to be brought before the Chief Justice again to decide. Mr. A. E. McPhillips for plaintiffs; Hon. C. E. Pooley, Q.C., for defendants.

DE COSMOS V. VICTORIA & ESQUIMALT TELEPHONE COMPANY.

To make permanent an injunction to restrain the Victoria & Esquimalt Telephone Company from erecting poles in front of the property of Amor De Cosmos on Government street, and for damages. Mr. H. D. Helmcken appeared for the plaintiff; Hon. C. E. Pooley, Q.C., for the defendants. by consent the case was adjourned until a subsequent day, to be fixed this week.

VARRELMAN V PHŒNIX BREWERY CO.

This action is to recover salary due to plaintiff, who was brewmaster and general manager for the Phœnix Brewery Co., and for damages. When the Phœnix Brewery Company amalgamated with the Victoria Brewery Company, the Phœnix brewery was stopped and Mr. Varrelman was asked to hand over the keys, which he did; another brewmaster and manager was appointed in plaintiff's stead. He now sues to recover for wrongful dismissal, having had a three years' contract under seal. The case was called before Mr. Justice Walkem yesterday in the Divisional court room, Hon. Theodore Davie, Q.C., appearing, with Mr. Cassidy, for the plaintiff, Mr. E. V. Bodwell for the defendant. After the examination of the plaintiff and of Mr. W. P. Sayward, of the Phœnix Co., Mr. Bodwell moved for a non-suit on the ground that there was no evidence that the plaintiff had been discharged. After hearing the Attorney-General in reply the court decided that the discharge would have to be shown to have been effected or authorized by former resolution of the company or its directors, and that what was intimated to to the plaintiff by the president and secretary, the demanding of the keys, and the abandonment of brewing operations at the Phœnix brewery, and the fact that plaintiff was offered $1,000 compensation by the secretary as on behalf of the company, was not evidence to go to the jury that plaintiff had been discharged, or that what had taken place was done with the authority of the company. That the plaintiff was still in the employ of the Phœnix company, which was not compelled to run a brewery in order to give him employment, although they still retained his services, and his salary would go on until the end of his contract. The non-suit was therefore granted.

JACKSON V. JACKSON & MYLIUS

This case was set for trial to-day, but will not come on until Friday, an adjournment having been granted by consent. Mr. H. D. Helmcken for plaintiff; Mr. F. B. Gregory for the defendant, Celia Mylius.

LAW SOCIETY EXAMINATIONS.

Final examinations for admission to the bar of British Columbia were held yesterday afternoon in the Solicitors' room at the Law Courts, two of the Benchers of the Law Society, Hon. A. N. Richards, Q.C., and Mr. D. M. Eberts, Q.C., acting as examiners. Three candidates presented themselves, Messrs. W. H. Edmonds, New Westminster; J. Pelly, New Westminster and J. A. Aikman, Victoria. L. H. Fullager and A. F. Morley are also writing on the intermediate examination.

HON. MR. POOLEY CONGRATULATED.

When Hon. C. E. Pooley, Q.C., appeared before the Supreme court yesterday, for the first time since his recent severe illness, the Chief Justice, Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie, took occasion to compliment him on his recovery, a congratulation which was joined in by members of the bar, who were pleased to see this popular bencher and able counsel once more in a position to continue his work. Mr. Pooley gracefully acknowledged the compliment.

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MARINE MOVEMENTS.

Sealer Victoria Returns—The Thermopylae Chartered for Lumber—Return of H. M. S. Pheasant.

Schooner Victoria, Capt. Hughes, returned on Sunday from her coast sealing expedition, having been towed in from Race Rocks by the tug Falcon. The Victoria's cruise has not been nearly as profitable as that of many other sealers, her total catch for the season only numbering 410 skins. Her crew state that they have had bad weather, which they claim accounts for their poor catch. Before returning home the schooner called at Sand Point on June 27, where she met six warships and several schooners. Five miles to the south of that port she was warned of the *modus vivendi* by the U. S. steamer Ranger, and upon her arrival there she learned that the Black Diamond had sailed a few days previous for the Copper Island neighborhood. By the arrival of the Victoria one of the hunters of the Mascot, met with at Sand Point, returned to Victoria.

FROM THE JAPAN COAST.

A San Francisco dispatch of yesterday reads: A private letter from Hakodate, Japan, gives the catches of the sealers as follows: Umbrina, 1,700 skins; Carlotta G. Cox, 1,900; Beatrice, 1,300; Mermaid, 1,300; Louisa D., 746; Casco, 1,400; May Belle, 1,500; Libby, 1,500; Annie C. Moore, 1,700; and Arctic, of San Diego, 900. The Anaconda had 1,300 skins; the Sophie Sutherland, of San Francisco, 1,700; and the Mary H. Thomas, also of San Francisco, 800.

MARINE NOTES.

Just as she was leaving the San Pedro yesterday afternoon, the tug Alert lost the power of her propeller and had to be towed in by the Mystery which was lying alongside her at the time. The trouble was caused through the propellor getting loose from the crank shaft.

The steamers Barbara Boscowitz and Princess Louise left for the north last evening, carrying light freights and but few passengers. Among those who left on the former were G. Lockerby, C. Bortem and J. Rysted.

Steamer Cariboo and Fly was hauled up on Turpel's ways yesterday afternoon to have her bottom scraped and painted and some minor repairing done.

The bark Thermopylae is expected to leave for Astoria early next week, having been chartered to load lumber at that port for Hongkong.

The Badger's machinery is being taken apart so that it can be placed in the hull of the new tug-boat now building for Captain Hare on Turpel's ways.

H.M.S. Pheasant, which left here May 15, returned from her cruise in Southern waters yesterday.

Steamer Maude came in from Nanaimo on Sunday with a cargo of coal.

The Empress of China arrived at Yokohama yesterday morning.

Steamship Queen is due from Alaska on Thursday.

ENTERED.

Str. Premier	from	Vancouver.
" City of Kingston	"	Port Townsend.
" R. P. Rithet	"	New Westm.inster
" Maude	"	Nanaimo.
Schr. Victoria	"	N. P. O.
Slp. McLaren	"	Roche Harbor.

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Str. Premier	for	Vancouver.
" City of Kingston	"	Port Townsend.
" R. P. Rithet	"	New Westmin'r.
" Barbara Boscowitz	"	Port Simpson.
" Princess Louise	"	Vancouver
" Joan	"	Nanaimo.

FIGURES FOR JULY.

Condensed Statement of the Business of Public Departments During the Past Month.

Below are given the statistics of July's work in various public departments, the returns being as complete as any could be made last evening:

THE CUSTOM HOUSE.

Collections.

Duties collected	$56,714 62
Other revenues	8,388 76
	$65,103 38

Imports.

Dutiable	$174,998 00
Free	35,723 00
	$210,721 00

Exports.

Produce of Canada	$180 162 00
Not produce of Canada	7,983 00
	$188,160 00

CRIME AND CRIMINALS.

The arrests made by the city police during July have been somewhat fewer than in many previous months. There have been, too, only ten summons cases in the city court; these are included in the appended list, taken from the police register: Drunks, 26; in possession of intoxicants, 3; fighting, 5; for lodgings, 2; housebreaking, 1; assault, 5; larceny, 7; disorderly conduct on the street, 1; unsound mind, 3; receiving stolen property, 2; indecent exposure, 1; supplying Indians with intoxicants, 1; pointing a revolver, 1; infraction of Revenue Tax act, 3 and infraction of the Pound by-law, 1; vagrancy, 1.

THE FIRE RECORD.

The record of fire for the past month, as kept by Chief Deasy, of the Fire department, is as follows:

July 5—5:45 a.m., fire at residence of T. Black, Victoria West. Loss, $1,400; insured. Cause unknown.

July 13—2:30 p.m., fire in rubbish on Fort street, near Langley street. No loss.

July 14—4 a.m., fire in house on Indian reserve. No loss.

July 26—9 a.m., brush fire, Spring Ridge. No loss.

July 30—3:30 p.m., grass fire, Beacon Hill Park. No loss.

Total loss for month of July, $1,400.

VITAL STATISTICS.

Births	22
Marriages	25
Deaths	12

SHIPPING.

Coastwise.

Entered	103
Cleared	111

Deep Sea.

Entered	97
Cleared	77

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NOTICE

Is hereby given that at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners, on the second Wednesday in September next, application will be made to the Board that the temporary permission for the transfer of the retail liquor license, issued under Subsection 1 of Section 204 of the Municipal Act, 1892, to Messrs. Meunier, Brown & Fox, for the premises known as the Caledonia Saloon, situated on the southeast corner of Store and Cormorant streets, in the City of Victoria, granted on the 19th day of June last past, by the Mayor, under authority of Section 221 of the said Act, may be ratified and extended, and that the said license may be transferred to Messrs. Joseph H. Brown and H. M. Fox

Dated this 18th day of July, 1893, at the City of Victoria.

JOSEPH MEUNIER.
JOS. H. BROWN.
H. M FOX.
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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the Victoria Brewing & Ice Company (Limited Liability), and the Phœnix Brewery Company (Limited Liability), are required to send in same at once.

And all persons indebted to the aforesaid Companies are requested to make payment of such indebtedness at the offices of the Victoria-Phœnix Company, 19 to 195 Government street, Victoria, before the 1st day of September, 1893, after which all outstanding accounts will be placed in our solicitor's hands for collection.

Dated this 25th day of July, A.D. 1893.

VICTORIA BREWING & ICE CO., Limited Liability.
PHŒNIX BREWERY CO., Limited Liability.
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NOTICE

Is hereby given that a Special General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Nakusp & Slocan Railway Company will be held at the head office of the Company, Fort street, in the City of Victoria, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon on Wednesday, the 16th day of August, 1893, for the purpose of authorizing the Directors of the Company to issue bonds to the amount of $25,000 per mile of the said railway, under Section 93 of the Railway Act.

Dated this 13th day of July, 1893.

A. J. WEAVER BRIDGMAN,
Secretary-Treasurer.
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Dissolution of Partnership.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership lately subsisting between the undersigned, John Robert Kerr and Roderick Begg, doing business on Government street, in the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, under the name and style of Kerr & Begg, has been dissolved by mutual consent, and all persons indebted to us are authorized and directed to pay the amount of their accounts to John Robert Kerr, to whom they have been assigned, who will carry on the business at the old stand in his own name.

JOHN ROBERT KERR.
RODERICK BEGG.
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THE PROVINCIA CONTROVERTED ELECTIONS ACT AND AMENDMENT ACT.

In the Election Petition for Cariboo Electoral District, holden on the 24th day of August, 1892, in which William Morrison is Petitioner and Hugh Watt is Respondent.

Notice is hereby given that the above Petitioner has, on the 15th day of July, 1893, lodged in the office of the Registrar of the Supreme Court in Victoria notice of an application to withdraw the petition, of which notice the following is a copy:

"IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

"The Provincial Controverted Elections Act "and Amendment Act.

"Election for Cariboo Electoral District, "holden on the 24th day of August in the year "1892.

"Between William Morrison, Petitioner,
"and
"Hugh Watt, Respondent.

"The petitioner proposes to apply to withdraw "his petition upon the following ground name-"ly, that since the date when the signed petition "was presented several persons who are the "most important witnesses on the petitioner's "behalf have departed entirely out of the reach "of the petitioner, and it is now impossible to "obtain their testimony, and prays that a day "may be appointed for hearing his application

"Dated this 27th day of May, 1893.

"WM MORRISON."

And take notice that by the Rule made by the Judges any person who might have been a petitioner in respect of the said election, may within five days after publication by the Returning Officer of this notice, give notice in writing of his intention on the hearing to apply for leave to be substituted as a petitioner.

EBERTS & TAYLOR,
30 Langley street, Victoria,
Agents for the Petitioner.
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Dated this 18th day of July, 1893, at the City of Victoria.

JOS. H. BROWN.
JOSEPH MEUNIER.
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NOTICE

Is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned as Grocers and Provision Merchants, in the City of Victoria, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be paid to Frederick Carne, Jun'r, at Victoria aforesaid, and all claims against the said partnership are to be presented to the said Frederick Carne, Jun'r, by whom the same will be settled

Dated at Victoria, this 28th day of June, A.D. 1893.

FREDERICK CARNE, JR.
WILLIAM MUNSIE.

Witness—F. A. GOWEN.

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" Comox for Valdez Island, every alternate Thursday, 7 a.m. (returning same day.)
" Comox for Nanaimo, Friday, 7 a.m.
" Nanaimo for Victoria, Saturday, 7 a.m.

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The use of the ambulance for all cases other than accidents can only be obtained on the order of one of the Consulting or Visiting Physicians of the Hospital.

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H. M. YATES,
Secretary.
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ALLAN CAMERON, Agent.

GEO. McL. BROWN,
District Passenger Agent,
Vancouver. fe23

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TIME TABLE NO. 20

Takes effect June 1st, 1893.

Vancouver Route:

Victoria to Vancouver—Daily, except Monday, at 3 o'clock a.m.

Vancouver to Victoria—Daily, except Monday, at 15.15 o'clock, or on arrival of C.P.R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route:

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock; Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock, Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 2 going east Monday.

For Plumper's Pass—Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock.

For Moresby and Pender Islands—Friday at 7 o'clock.

For Sidney—Wednesday, at 7 o'clock.

LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria—Monday at 15 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass—Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Pender and Moresby Islands and Sidney—Thursday at 7 o'clock.

Northern Route:

Steamships of this Co. will leave for Fort Simpson and intermediate ports the 1st and 15th of each month at 18 o'clock. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

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Steamer Maude leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound Ports the 1st and 15th of each month.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

JOHN IRVING, Manager
G. A. CARLETON, General Agent.
Victoria, May 28th, 1893.

MRS. HELEN M. GOUGAR.

A Woman of Great Force of Character and an Eloquent Speaker.

The principle of the "home vote" against the reckless and irresponsible mob finds a brilliant advocate in Mrs. Helen M. Gougar of Lafayette, Ind., whose powers of oratory have for some years been enlisted on the side of woman's suffrage. Mrs. Gougar was born in Litchfield, Mich., nearly 50 years ago. Her devotion to the right was intense and unflinching even in her youth, and united with originality, energy, intellectual keenness and self reliance, graced by ready wit and bouyancy of spirits, has made her a power in the rostrum and in the councils of her party. A conspicuous trait in her character is firmness of principle as against compromise for the sake of expediency. Conservatism, intrigue and cowardice have been the especial targets of her inspired and burning words.

Mrs. Gougar's style as a speaker is dignified, though free and impassioned, and without oratorical display or affectation. She talks offhand without manuscript or notes. Her special line is the legal phases of political reform. She has a grasp of law and statistics and is the wife of a lawyer of ability, whose ad-

MRS. HELEN M. GOUGAR.

vice and ample means give her the independence demanded in a reformer. Being childless, family cares set lightly on her shoulders, and there is leisure for culture even in the midst of aggressive work. Before entering upon public life Mrs. Gougar was known as a writer of concise and fluent English. She was a frequent contributor to the Chicago Inter Ocean, an orthodox Republican paper.

The greatest battle of Mrs. Gougar's life took place some years ago when she first appeared as a woman's advocate. A man of prominence referred to the new light in terms that could only be avenged by a caning or a pistol shot. Although a wife, Mrs. Gougar took the matter in in her own hands and horsewhipped her defamer in the public streets. Then she went upon the platform to justify her course and to vindicate the right of her sex to the same rights and privileges that men have, immunity from question and criticism as to their private affairs.

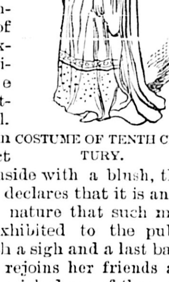
In a practical way Mrs. Gougar drew up the law granting municipal suffrage to women in the state of Kansas. In a practical way she demonstrated the virtue in her theories by heading a crusade to redeem the city of Leavenworth, Kan., from slum rule, which was accomplished by the votes of women.

EDINE HOWARD.

The Evolution of Dress.

It would be interesting to know what Mother Eve would think could she witness the eccentricities of fashion and the evolution of dress since her earthly sojourn. Her poor little fig leaf girdle would pale into significance by contrast with the present glory of woman's raiment, and she would hang her pretty head for very shame at the smallness of her dressmaker's yearly account.

We have statues of the ancient Greeks and Romans wherein they are portrayed as having very little covering for their bodies. The sculptor has handed down to us the beautiful figure of his "Venus de Milo" (whose beauty of outline has made her immortal), the scanty drapery of which has shocked the oversensibility of more than one modestly disposed soul. The old lady from the rural district turns her head aside with a blush, then looks again and declares that it is an insult to human nature that such monstrosities are exhibited to the public gaze. Then with a sigh and a last backward look she rejoins her friends and meditates on the wickedness of the world at large and the directors of that museum in particular. But could she have seen the grotesque costumes that have been worn by many of Eve's descendants in past ages she would not blame the sculptor for clothing his masterpiece in nothing at all.



COSTUME OF TENTH CENTURY.

The French costume of the tenth century somewhat resembled that of the modern Greeks, but it had not the short pelisse. In its place the ladies wore a long veil, which covered the head and reached nearly to the feet.

The white underdrapery is confined at the waist, which is short, by a broad girdle, which appears to encircle it more than once and adds to the apparent length of the waist. The open jacket without a collar falls gracefully from the shoulders and conceals the limits of the waist. Everything is easy, natural and graceful. "The Greek Girl," painted by Sir Charles Eastlake, was based on this unique costume.

FRANCES PAGE.

At Rockland, Me., Mrs. May Raulett conducts a shipping office for sailors. It is practically an employment office for seamen, the lady furnishing to vessels any number desired for a voyage.

WOMAN'S WORLD IN PARAGRAPHS.

Concerning the Reading of Papers at Women's Meetings.

A lady commenting on some of the great conventions of women at Chicago this summer remarked, "We have been papered to death." That very nearly expressed one phase of feeling that existed amid the general satisfaction called forth by those admirable meetings of women. Too much papering is one drawback of nearly all assemblies of present day women, whether in clubs or conventions. The dear ladies consult libraries and pore over the historic records of centuries, wearing out their eyes. They copy and read sweetly just what somebody else has said 20 times before and applaud one another and appoint some other women to go through the same programme another week, or when the papers are not gathered from the musty records of the past they are apt to be of the sermonizing order. We women do love to preach, bless us! But the sermons, the lofty sentiments, the elegant rhetorical periods we quote from Emerson and others, have been said before so often that they become stale, unprofitable platitudes to our audiences. We are "papering them to death." There are some things I do wish women would do in this enlightened age of the world. One is to learn to speak. Prepare your words as carefully as you please, the more carefully the better, but speak them instead of reading. Look your audience in the eye instead of burying your nose in a paper. Even Colonel Ingersoll, when he wishes to be most impressive, lays down his manuscript, and facing his audience like a lion pours out a shining, electric torrent of eloquence extempore. Another thing women should do in their attempts to instruct the public is to draw their instruction from the facts of real, redhot, present life instead of making their papers up of quotations and musty history and preaching. For this one thing I glory in the work of Helen Campbell, that she has bestirred herself, read newspapers, studied labor statistics and gone herself into shop, hospital and factory and gathered matter of vital, living interest. One fact from the life of today is worth more for instruction than the whole side of a houseful of books.

Helen Gardener's speeches, which created a genuine sensation at the congress of women at Chicago, are to be published in book form soon, in a volume which will be called "Facts and Fictions of Life." Among the essays will be the one entitled "Woman as an Annex," also "Sex In Brain." I mention this particularly for the benefit of the New York Sun, that it may know herewith the name of at least one of Helen Gardener's books.

Great Britain has now 158 regularly graduated women physicians whose names appear in The British Medical Register.

Very funny are two resolutions passed at nearly the same time in two southern states. The southern Presbyterians in high and mighty convocation assembled at Macon evolved from their inner consciousness a resolution that "the session must absolutely enforce the injunction of Scripture forbidding women to speak in churches or in any way failing to observe that relative subordination to man which is taught in I Corinthians xi, 13, and in other places." But suppose the women refuse to obey the southern Presbyterian ministers, what are they going to do about it? The other resolution is the prettiest companion piece to that of the Presbyterian preachers that you ever saw. It was passed by the Arkansas woman suffrage association, and it reads: "Resolved, That as the churches are mainly made up of and supported by women we will use our influence against the employment of ministers who are opposed to our movement and pray the Almighty Father to keep them from our midst." Against the intense and solemn prayers of an association of intelligent nineteenth century women and the dictum of a lot of antique hunkers that plant themselves on an 1,800-years-old utterance of that disgruntled widower Paul, who expressly disclaimed inspiration for some of his sayings in regard to women, which do you think will win? It is striking preachers exactly where they live when women resolve to support their churches no longer, and we could even wish that every minister who sets himself against the progress of our sex might be struck just so.

A woman has been appointed professor of elocution at King's college, England. But the University of Chicago has done better than that and appointed no less than four ladies among its instructors Alice Freeman Palmer and Martha Foote Crowe being full professors.

At Cambridge university in England all the mediaeval and modern language honors this year were gained by women. At the graduating exercises of Boston Dental college the senior prize for the best examination was won by Miss Mary Esther Gallup, the one woman in a class of 13.

Miss Cora Goodenow, candidate of both the Democratic and Populist parties for school commissioner of Ottawa county, Mich., was elected by a large majority.

Miss Louise E. Francis of Castroville, Cal., is the assistant secretary of the National Editorial association. Miss Francis is also the plucky and successful proprietor of the Castroville Enterprise.

Sept. 1 the Unitarian church at Geneva, Ills., will have for its pastor Rev. Celia Parker Woolley. The Unitarian church at Geneva is to be congratulated on securing a pastor of such eloquence and earnestness.

We are informed that for years the Duchess of Devonshire has been writing anonymously for the London Saturday Review. I wonder if she writes those mean things about women?

One of the most cheering signs of the time is the universal interest women are taking in physical culture and active outdoor exercise. The craze has overtaken even the French and Russian ladies.

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A BY-LAW.

No. 200.

RATES AND TAXES BY-LAW, 1893.

THE Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria enacts as follows:—

Sec. 1. There is hereby settled, imposed and levied, and there shall be raised and collected an equal rate of thirteen mills on the dollar upon all land upon the assessment roll for the year 1893 of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, at its assessed value thereon.

Sec. 2. There is hereby settled, imposed and levied, and there shall be raised and collected an equal rate of twelve mills on the dollar upon all improvements upon the assessment roll for the year 1893, of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, at their assessed value thereon.

Sec. 3. For the purpose of raising money to create a fund to defray expenses connected with the Board of Health, all land in the City of Victoria is hereby assessed at its value as assessed upon the assessment roll of the said Corporation for the year 1893, and for the like purpose there shall be levied and collected thereon a special rate of six mills on the dollar.

Sec. 4. The aforesaid rates and taxes shall be due and payable to the Collector of the said Corporation at his office at the City Hall, Victoria, on the thirtieth day of August, A.D. 1893, and all persons who pay the aforesaid rates or taxes on or before the thirty-first day of October, A.D., 1893, shall be entitled to a discount or reduction of one-sixth of the amount thereof.

Sec. 5. The rates and taxes on land or on improvements which are unpaid on the 31st day of December, A.D 1893, shall bear interest therefrom until paid in full, at the rate of seven per centum per annum thereon.

Sec. 6. The terms "land" or "improvements," as used in this by-law, shall have the meaning set forth in section two of the Municipal Act, 1892, as amended in the Municipal Act Amendment Act, 1893.

Sec. 7. Any by law or by-laws containing any provision or provisions which may be or which are inconsistent with or repugnant to the provisions of this by law is, and are hereby repealed, in so far only as the same are so inconsistent or repugnant, but not otherwise, so as that full force and effect shall be given to the provisions of this by-law.

Sec. 8. This by-law may be cited as "Tax By-Law, 1893."

Passed the Municipal Council the 19th day of July, 1893.

Reconsidered, adopted and finally passed by the Council this 24th day of July, 1893.

[L.S.] ROBERT BEAVEN, Mayor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

NOTICE.

The above is a true copy of a by-law passed by the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria on the 24th day of July, 1893, and all persons are required to take notice that any one desirous of applying to have such by-law or any section thereof quashed must make his application for that purpose to the Supreme Court within one month next after the publication of this by-law in the British Columbia Gazette, or he will be too late to be heard in that behalf.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

Notice to Water Consumers.

The attention of Consumers of Water supplied from the City Water Works is hereby drawn to Section 12 of the "Waterworks Regulation By-Law, 1885," which provides that

From the 1st day of April to the 13th day of September, both inclusive, in each year, no consumer of the water of the said Waterworks shall use such water for irrigating or street sprinkling, except during the hours between 5 o'clock in the evening and 9 o'clock in the following morning, and on the respective days hereinafter mentioned, namely:

IN CENTRAL WARD, on Mondays and Thursdays.

IN SOUTH WARD, on Tuesdays and Fridays; and

IN NORTH WARD, on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

And the water of the said Waterworks shall not be used for irrigating or for street sprinkling outside the limits of the said City.

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NOTICES.

No. 199.

A BY-LAW

To Authorize the Sale of Lands within the City of Victoria upon which Taxes have been due and in arrear for two years.

WHEREAS it is expedient that all lands or improvements or real property within the limits of the Corporation of the City of Victoria upon which municipal taxes have been due and in arrear for two years shall be sold and the proceeds applied in the reduction of such taxes:

Be it therefore enacted by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. The Collector of the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria is hereby authorized and directed whensoever taxes on any land or improvements or real property have been due for two years preceding the current year, to submit to the Mayor of the City of Victoria a list, in duplicate, of all the lands or improvements or real property liable, under the provisions of this by-law, to be sold for taxes, with the amount of arrears against each lot set opposite to the same, and the Mayor shall authenticate such list by affixing thereto the seal of the Corporation and his signature, and one of such lists shall be deposited with the Clerk of the Corporation, and the other shall be returned to the Collector with a warrant thereto annexed under the hand of the Mayor and the seal of the Corporation commanding him to levy upon the land or improvements or real property for the arrears due thereon with his costs.

2. It shall not be the duty of the collector to make enquiry before effecting a sale of lands or improvements or real property for taxes to ascertain whether or not there is any distress upon the land, nor shall he be bound to enquire into or form any opinion of the value of the the land or improvements or real property.

3. The Collector shall prepare a copy of the list of lands or improvements or real property to be sold, and shall include therein in a separate column, a statement of the proportion of costs chargeable on each lot for advertising and for the commissions authorized by this by-law to be paid to him, and shall cause a copy of such list to be printed for a period of one month preceding the date of such intended sale in some newspaper published in the City of Victoria.

4. The advertisement shall contain a notification that unless the arrears and costs are sooner paid he will proceed to sell the lands or improvements or real property for the taxes on a day, a time, and at a place named in the advertisement.

5. The Collector shall at least two months before the time of sale also deliver to or deposit in the post office to the address of the owner of such property which is to be sold for taxes as aforesaid, or to the agent of such owner, a notice in writing of the amount of taxes due, and that the property is to be sold for arrears so due, and in case the address of the owner or agent is unknown a notice to the same effect shall be posted upon the land intended to be sold, and also at least two months before the time of sale post a notice similar to the above advertisement in some convenient and public places, that is to say, at the Council Chambers, Victoria, and in the Post Office Building, Victoria.

6. The day of sale shall be the thirty-third day after the first publication in a newspaper of such list, exclusive of the day of such publication, except in case the said thirty-third day shall fall on a Sunday or holiday, in which case such sale shall take place on the following day at the Council Chambers, in the City of Victoria, and shall begin at twelve o'clock noon.

7. If at any time appointed for the sale of the lands or improvements or real property no bidders appear the Collector may adjourn the sale from time to time.

8. If the taxes have not been previously collected, or if no one appears to pay the same at the time and place appointed for the sale, the Collector shall sell at public auction so much of the land or improvements or real property as may be sufficient to discharge the taxes and all lawful charges incurred in and about the sale and the collection of the taxes, selling in preference such part as he may consider best for the owner to sell first, and in offering such lands or improvements or real property for sale it shall not be necessary to describe particularly the portion of the lot or section which shall be sold, but it will be sufficient to say that he will sell so much of the lot or section as shall be necessary to secure the payment of the taxes due, and the amount of taxes stated in the advertisement shall in all cases be *prima facie* evidence of the correct amount due.

9. If the Collector fails at such sale to sell such land or improvements or real property for the full amount of arrears of the taxes due he shall at such sale adjourn the same until a day be publicly named by him, not earlier than one week nor later than three months thereafter, of which adjourned sale he shall give notice by advertisement in the newspaper in which the original notice was advertised, and on such day he shall sell such lands or improvements or real property for any sum he can realize, and shall accept such sum as full payment for such arrears of taxes.

10. If the purchaser of any property or parcel of land fails immediately to pay the Collector the amount of the purchase money, the Collector shall forthwith again put up the property for sale.

11. Immediately after every sale the Collector shall return a list of the arrears satisfied by such sale to the Clerk of the Corporation, and shall at the same time pay in the proceeds to the Treasurer of the said Corporation.

12. The Collector shall be entitled to five per centum commission upon the sums collected by him as aforesaid.

13. This by-law may be cited for all purposes as "The Victoria Real Estate Tax Sale By-law, 1893."

Passed the Municipal Council the 10th day of July, A.D 1893.

Reconsidered, adopted and finally passed the Council this 17th day of July, A.D. 1893.

[L.S.] ROBERT BEAVEN, Mayor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.

NOTICE.

The above is a true copy of a by-law passed by the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria on the 17th day of July, A.D. 1893, and all persons are hereby required to take notice that anyone desirous of applying to have such by-law, or any part thereof, quashed, must make his application for that purpose to the Supreme Court within one month next after the publication of this by-law in the *British Columbia Gazette*, or he will be too late to be heard in that behalf.

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3.00 am	49	...Port Gamble...	21	11.00 am
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" 8.04	" 3.08	1	Russell's	77	" 12.20	" 7.56
" 8.14	" 3.16	4	Esquimalt	74	" 12.10	" 7.48
" 8.39	" 3.36	11	Goldstream	67	" 11.45	" 7.28
" 9.14	" 4.05	20	Summit Siding	58	" 11.10	" 6.59
" 9.31	" 4.27	28	Shawnigan Lake	50	" 10.50	" 6.37
" 9.44	" 4.37	31	Cobble Hill	47	" 10.40	" 6.27
" 9.57	" 4.49	35	McPherson's	43	" 10.27	" 6.15
" 10.07	" 4.59	38	Koksilah	40	" 10.17	" 6.05
" 10.12	" 5.04	40	Duncan's	38	" 10.12	" 6.00
" 10.22	" 5.12	43	Somenos	35	" 10.02	" 5.52
" 10.48	" 5.32	52	Chemainus	26	" 9.36	" 5.32
" 11.09	" 5.49	59	Oyster Bay siding	19	" 9.15	" 5.15
Ar. 11.50 / De. 11.59	" 6.22	73	Nanaimo	5	De. 8.34 / Ar. 8.25	" 4.42
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ASTRONOMICAL.

VICTORIA, August 1, 1893.

Sun rises .....4:44 a.m. | Sun sets .....7:27 p.m.

Moon rises, 9:31 p.m.

Day of the year—213th.

N.B.—The above calculations are based on mean solar time, which is 13m. 32s. slower than Victoria standard time.

THE THERMOMETER.

ESQUIMALT STATION, July 30, 1893.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p. m.

1 a. m..	53°	Mean 61°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m..	54°		
9 a. m..	60°	Highest 71°	5 a.m.—Calm.
1 p. m..	68°		1 p.m.—4 S.
5 p. m..	69°	Lowest 53°	9 p.m.—Calm.
9 p. m..	61°		Rain—.00.

Average state of weather—Fair.

ESQUIMALT STATION, July 31, 1893.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a. m..	56°	Mean 60°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m..	54°		
9 a. m..	56°	Highest 70°	5 a.m.—Calm.
1 p. m..	64°		1 p.m.—6 S.E.
5 p. m..	67°	Lowest 53°	9 p.m.—Calm.
9 p. m..	58°		Rain—.00.

Average state of weather—Fair.

E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

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BIRTHS.

GRAHAM—In this city, on the 30th ult., the wife of T. M. Graham, of a daughter.

PERSONAL.

Dr. Coleman, of Tacoma, is in the city.

Mrs. C. S. Baxter is back from the East.

O. H. Bronson, of New York, is at the Victoria.

C. A. Godson has left for the East on a business trip.

Professor Harry Sherman Sharpe spent Sunday in this city.

Chief of Police McLaren, of Vancouver, is paying Victoria a call.

Miss Denny has returned from a visit to friends across the Sound.

H. D. Newbury, of Portland, and L. B. Seeley, of Ohio, are at the Driard.

W. F. Anderson, auditor of the C.P.R., is paying Victoria an official visit.

H. Hunt and wife and Mrs. E. D. Lane, of Washington, D.C., are at the Driard.

J. G. Webb and Mrs. Webb, with Miss Jessie McTavish, of Spokane, are guests at the Douglas House.

P. J. Hibben, of the firm of T. N. Hibben & Co., leaves to-day for England, to be absent about three months, on a journey of business and pleasure combined. During his absence Mr Hibben will make extensive cruises in English fresh waters by canoe.

Ald. A. L. Belyea, of the law firm of Belyea & Gregory, has partially recovered from his recent illness, and was able to be around again yesterday. He leaves for the East to-morrow evening, and will spend a well-earned holiday at his old home, St. John, N B He will get the usual leave to absent himself from duties at the Aldermanic Board.

Richard Winch, a well-known commission merchant, of Peterboro', Ont., is in the city, a guest of Mr. Thomas Hooper. Mr. Winch came out to the Coast a fortnight ago on a visit to his son, P. J. Winch, of Vancouver, and will remain here a short time enjoying the fine summer weather, as well as the grand scenery. He thinks very highly of British Columbia in a great many respects.

NOTEWORTHY CASE.

A Test of the Extradition Between Canada and the United States.

BOSTON, July 31.—The extradition case of Alfred Morrissette will be heard in the United States District court to-morrow. The defendant, Morrissette, is wanted in Canada for attempting to utter a forged note and for obtaining money, which he knew was the fruit of forged checks, on the Quebec Government. This case promises to be a celebrated one, and will be a test of the new extradition treaty between the United States and the Canadian Governments.

Cotton Mills Closed.

MANCHESTER, N.H., July 31.—The Amoskeag mills closed to-day. This is the first suspension of these factories for many years. Eight thousand operatives are idle. The Jefferson mills started up again this morning, thus giving employment to 1000 hands who had been idle for two weeks. All the remaining Amoskeag mills are ready to resume work soon, but it will be on the basis, it is stated, of a reduction of wages to the operatives. It is said there will be a general reduction of 18 per cent., and those receiving better wages than the average will be cut down 15 per cent.

There will be no formal vacation at the Conservatory of Music this summer, as Miss Adams has decided to continue the course of studies, both vocal and instrumental, throughout the season. In the former branch Mrs. Laird's contract having expired, her position will be filled by a thoroughly qualified teacher, capable of teaching sight singing and giving class lessons.

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SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

Hunters Prepare For Business—The Cowichan Tennis Tournament a Pleasing Success.

America's Champion Holds Her Own With English Yachts—The Seattle Club Banner.

The annual tournament of the Cowichan Lawn Tennis club was held last Saturday at the club grounds, under the most favorable circumstances, the courts, which may be truly described as the most picturesque in the Province, being in very good condition, and the attendance large. In spite of the heat—and, oh, it was hot—those who played exhibited astonishing energy, as a consequence of which there was some very good tennis. Both Miss Barkley, the winner of the ladies' singles, whose final against Mrs. Leather, and Mr. Martineau, of Victoria, who carried off the prize in the open singles, had to work hard for their victories. In the final match between Mr. Barkley and Mr. Martineau, which concluded the day's proceedings, the former played up wonderfully, considering his want of practice, and made the event the closest contest of the meeting. On the conclusion of the day's play the prizes were given by Mrs. Pimbury, wife of the worthy President of the club, and three cheers for those who worked so hard to make it a success—amongst them the ladies who supplied everybody with delicious refreshments—wound up a meeting which was enjoyed by everyone participating. The details of the play are appended:

GENTLEMEN'S SINGLES.

First Round.

L. Martineau (bye).
W. E. Shaw (bye).
L. Crease beat Geo. H. Roe (6-1, 6-1).
E. C. Musgrave v. Wilmot (scratched).
R. Barkley beat J. Musgrave (6-1, 3 6, 6-4).
J. C. Harris beat A. F. Wasey (6-5, 6-5).
R. Musgrave (bye).
W. Gibbs (bye).

Second Round.

L. Martineau beat W. E. Shaw (6-1, 6-1).
L. Crease beat E. C. Musgrave (6-2, 6-1).
R. Barkley beat J. C. Harris (6-0, 6-0).
R. Musgrave beat W. Gibbs (6-1, 5-6, 6-1).

Third Round.

L. Martineau beat L. Crease (6-2, 6-2).
R. Barkley beat R. Musgrave (6-0, 3-6, 6 5).

Final.

L. Martineau beat R. Barkley (4-6, 6-0, 7 5, 2-6, 7-5).

LADIES' SINGLES.

First Round.

Miss Barkley beat Miss Roe (6-1, 6-1).
Mrs. Leather (bye).

Second and Final Round.

Miss Barkley beat Mrs. Leather (5-7, 6 2, 7 6).

The club events will be continued next Saturday.

THE HOME HANDICAP.

The play in the club handicap singles commenced yesterday, Mr. E. A. Jacob meeting Mr. Barnard. Their set is not yet decided.

AMERICA'S CHAMPIONS.

CHICAGO, July 29.—The Eastern champions, Hobart and Hovey, swept everything to-day, defeating Campbell and Huntington for the championship cup of '93. The game was a beautiful one. The matches in the preliminary singles resulted as follows: C. B. Neal defeated George L Wrenn, S. T. Chase beat P. R. Chapman, P. R. Whitman won from W. A. Havemeyer, and Evert S. Wrenn defeated C. Kendig.

THE WHEEL.

THE BANNER IS A BEAUTY.

The handsome club bannerette awarded the Seattle Cycle club for the best representation by any visiting club at the Queen's birthday celebration is now finished and on view in the window of the COLONIST It is a pretty combination of white, crimson, and black satin and gold, and will be quite an ornament to the club's headquarters. Secretary Bradley, of the Wanderers, will visit Seattle and present it during next week.

THE COMPETITION TIME LOWERED.

MILWAUKEE, July 29.—Forty-five hundred people saw Walter C. Sanger break the one-mile record in competition, at the National Park, this afternoon. Sanger was scratch man. Baker, of Pittsburg, finished second, with a handicap of 60 yards, and W. F. Sanger, with a handicap of 115 yards, third. Sanger beat his own record of 2:14 3 5, made at Hartford, Conn., July 4, his new record being 2:09 4-5.

AQUATIC.

CANOEISTS IN CAMP.

Canoeists, who were at the Canoe Club's camp at Esquimalt Lagoon Sunday, had an exceptionally jolly time, so much so in fact that they decided not to leave until the last moment. Plenty of fish were caught, so they had all the fresh food they required, and had it not been that business called them back to the city it is hard to say when they would have got tired of camp life. Considerable difficulty was encountered at the portage at the head of the Arm by those who went that way, on account of the low tide, and it was late in the evening before this part of the fleet reached the camp. The return start was made in the early morning after a 5 o'clock breakfast and in spite of a strong head tide it proved most enjoyable. On Saturday next another camp will likely be formed and it is expected that even a larger number will turn out on that occasion. Another combined cruise of the Yacht and Canoe cluds is talked of for next Saturday week the 12th inst., when it is expected that a great many members of both clubs together with their friends will take part.

THE FLEET AMERICAN.

LONDON, July 31.—The regatta of the Royal London Yacht club took place to-day; the course was from the boat off the club house at West Cowes, Isle of Wight, eastward to and around Warner lightship, then westward to a buoy marking east Leep shoal, passing north of Normafort. The course was sailed over twice, the weather was beautiful, and the Solent was filled with pleasure craft of every description. There was a fair breeze from the northwest and the yachts got away in capital style. The boats that took part in the race were the Royal Philip, Caroll's Navahoe, Lord Dunraven's Valkyrie, J. Jameson's Inverna, the Prince of Wales' Britannia, A. D. Clark's Satanita, and P. Donaldson's Calluna. The starting gun was fired at 10 o'clock, and under full sail the yachts made for the line. The Valkyrie, with Lord Dunraven on board, was first across, the Inverna, the Britannia, with the Prince of Wales on board, Satanita, Navahoe and Calluna following in the order named. Great interest was manifested in the Navahoe, which is the American challenger for the Royal Victoria Yacht club's cup, Brenton Reef cup and Cape May cup. At the beginning of the race the Valkyrie drew sharply away from the other boats and the Navahoe seemed to loose slightly. The wind freshened on a rising tide and the Navahoe, with everything except the spinnaker set, began to haul up on the leaders. At 12:30 the Navahoe was leading, with the Valkyrie two seconds behind. The Navahoe continued to gain slowly, and at 12:50 was leading the Valkyrie by 10 seconds. The Britannia was a close third. The measurement of the Navahoe has not yet been received from the Yacht Racing Association, and she therefore raced to-day without rating. The race for the Queen's cup will take place to-morrow. The Navahoe is disqualified to take part in this race owing to the fact that her owner, Carroll, is not a member of the Royal Yacht squadron. The Navahoe led the yachts home on the first round; when the yachts started on the second round the Navahoe got over the line eight seconds ahead of the Valkyrie. The Britannia was third to cross, a minute later than the Valkyrie, then followed the Satanita, Calluna, and Iverna in the order named. The Iverna got away ten minutes behind the Navahoe. The Britannia finished first, Valkyrie second and Navahoe third. The Britannia was in one minute and three seconds ahead of the Valkyrie, which was second, and one minute and twenty-six seconds ahead of the Navahoe, which finished third place. Satanita fourth and Calluna fifth.

THE GUN.

FOOD FOR THE GUN.

Sportsmen will this year have to bear in mind the new regulations which take effect this present season, opening to-day. Willow or ruffed grouse will not be a subject for the gun till the first of October, and the season closes on the 1st January instead of February. Blue grouse, however, which is a far more palatable bird, can be shot at from August 12; male deer and cariboo from August 1. Wild duck seem to have been thrown out of the provisions of the Act altogether. Quail must not be shot till September 1, 1894; a very wise provision, for the poor birds suffered terribly in the heavy cold snap last winter. Being almost wholly what is called a ground bird, they were the first victims of the cold, and died by thousands. The measures taken for the enforcement of the Game Act this year are somewhat better than last, though preparations have been going on quietly.

MEETING TO-NIGHT.

The regular monthly meeting of the Victoria Gun club takes place this evening at the Victoria hotel, and will probrbly be the last this season.

THE RIFLE.

THE MEN FOR OTTAWA.

According to the test at the annual meeting of the B. C. R. A., last week, British Columbia's representatives on the Ottawa team of 1894 will be Lieut. Chamberlain, Gunner Turnbull, Corporal A. R. Langley, A. Martin, R. Wilson, Master Gunner Bridgeford, Gunner Sargison and Gunner Winsby. It is probable that one or two of these favored eight will not be able to take the trip, but who will drop out and who replace has not yet been learned.

HERE AND THERE.

The Kaslo sports felt greatly elated on Saturday, when word arrived from Nelson that the Kaslo horse had vanquished his rival with ease. The race brought a good many hundreds into Kaslo.

Mr. T. P. Smith, of Toronto, general agent for the Remington bicycles, has been spending several days in town, and left this morning for the East. The Remington, which in outline closely resembles the Columbia, will be on sale here next season.

PEARY'S EXPEDITION.

Unsatisfactory News as to Present Conditions and Future Prospects.

ST. JOHNS, Nfld., July 31.—The mail news of Lieut. Peary and his expedition received from Labrador is very unsatisfactory. The Falcon arrived at Battle Harbor on July 18, after a very rough and disagreeable passage from St. Johns. She was swept by heavy seas, which did considerable damage. The donkeys which Lieut. Peary took with him on board the Falcon were in a bad condition from exposure, and the injuries received when Battle Harbor was reached serious. Lieut. Peary had a two days' stay at Battle Harbor to enable him to repair damages and give his animals a chance to recover. While there he tried to purchase dogs but failed. He sailed then for Turnavik. Exorbitant prices were asked for dogs there, so the Lieut. decided not to purchase. He visited Hopedale next, and there the same thing happened. While at Hopedale he seriously contemplated killing the donkeys. He intended to visit the more Northern parts of Labrador [illegible] purpose of getting dogs, though the delay would seriously endanger the success of his plans. It is now considerably after the time when he should have sailed for Greenland with good prospects of success. The season is getting late and the chances are they will be unable to reach Bowdoin Bay, as the steamer may be frozen in and be unable to get clear until next year.

PHILADELPHIA, July 31.—The Record, to day, has the following dispatch, dated St. John's, Nfld.: "Information has been received here from Labrador of serious trouble in Lieut. Peary's expedition. It is said it is so great that the trip is likely to prove a failure.

On Wednesday a gang of fourteen men commenced work at Kaslo on the Canadian Pacific telegraph line from Nelson to Revelstoke.

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EXTENSIVE SMUGGLING.

Steamer Oceanic Said to Have Done a Tremendous Amount of Illicit Trade.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 31.—The preliminary trial of Second Officer Bellon, of the Occidental Co.'s steamer Oceanic, charged with smugging opium, is in progress before U. S. Commissioner Peacock. It appears that there was quite a ring on the steamer. Hundreds of pounds of opium were brought in each month and taken ashore in small quantities by the quartermasser, waiters, etc. Once off the dock it was deposited in a convenient saloon and removed to Chinatown as desired. A number of people are involved and it is said that when the Oceanic sails for the Orient after her present trip there may not be one of the old list of officers left. As the matter stands at present Quartermasters Daull and Emerson are in jail charged with smuggling while Fourth Officer Edye has been dismissed from the service. It is expected that when Daull and Emerson are on the stand they will give the whole scheme away. These two men and Fourth Officer Edye are believed to be only tools of their superior officers and if held to answer they will turn states evidence.

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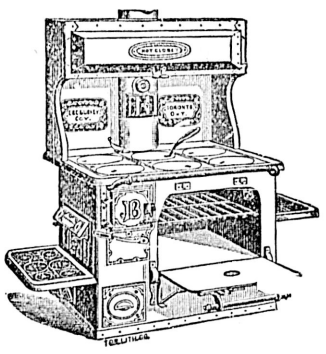

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